FAR EAST MOTORS

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High Water: 15.07.

Low Water: -23.07.

train turned back.

Dionakona Eclevinia.

in several hostile aircraft being disabled.

targets were bombed throughout the day.

there were near misses on several others.

Two Iraqi fighters that

attempted to intercept our bom-

The 25 Iraqi aircraft destroyed

would appear to represent half the

of the war on September 3 1939,

numbered 50, including 36 front line

Key Points Occupied

time allowed, failed to do so and the

A-Cairo-communique-says:-R.A.

dumps and magazines at an Iraqi

Rashid's Aerodrome Raided

dumps and magazines at Moreat,

obtaining many direct hits and de-

and damage aircraft on the ground.

bombers also shot down an Iraql

aircraft and severely damaged

The shelling of Habbaniyah nero

False Sanctuary

Minister for the removel of British

women and children from Baghdad

to the shelter of the R.A.F. station

casualties to non-combatants.

reply British aircraft bombed

was reduced. "

molishing military buildings.

damaged aircraft on the ground.

bombing and artillery fire.

Our aircraft returned safely

bers were shot down.

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## Hitler Playing The Same

Reichstag Speech

LONDON, May 4 (Reuter).— Speaking to-day at a session of the Reichstag, Hitler said that at a time when deeds are everything, "I do not intend to come before you more than is absolutely necessary. I turned to you for the first time at the outbreak of war, when, thanks to Franco-British conspiracy against peace, every attempt at a settlement with Poland, otherwise certainly possible, had

"All my attempts to reach, with Britain particularly, permanent and friendly co-operation were frustrated by the wish of a small clique which turned down every German proposal for an understanding.

Unchanged Theme

"The moving spirit of this plan, as fanatical as it was diabolical, to get war at any price was even at that time Churchill and his assistants, the men who now form his government.

"The strongest open and concealed support was accorded these efforts by the so-called great Democracies on both sides of the ocean. At a time when discontent was increasing umong nations, responsible men-there with their failing art of government considered that they could best master problems for which there was no longer any solution by a successful war. Behind them stood great international Jowish banks and

Arrival of Hitler LONDON, May 4 (Reuter).-Hitler's arrival at the Relchstag bulld-

"Deutschland Uber Alles." the Reichstag rose to their feet. The members of Relchstag stood Geering.

Hitler began speaking shortly after 6 p.m. and was greeted with tremend-

Referring to his so-called peace offer after the fall of France, Hitler succeeded in inducing the popula- Saturday tions to continue the struggle and, as Junkers once before, they were again ready -to sacrifice the blood of nations TURN to Back Page, Column 3

## Two Nazis Brought Down Over Malta

separate waves of enemy aircraft pass areas in Abyssinia: heavily raided Malta on Saturday

Bombs were dropped indiscriminately, damaging civilian and govern-

ment property. Two German bombers were brought down for certain and a third

was damaged. A few people were killed and a few were seriously injured.

# OF IRAOI DESTROYED

CAIRO, MAY 4 (REUTER).-HALF THE IRAQI AIR FORCE HAS BEEN DESTROYED OR PUT OUT OF ACTION, ACCORDING TO A SPECIAL R.A.F. COMMUNIQUE ISSUED HERE TO-NIGHT.

IT STATES: "BOMBER AIRCRAFT OF THE R.A.F. CARRIED OUT ANOTHER HEAVY ATTACK ON THE IRAQI AERODROME AT MOASCAR RASCHID TO-DAY. SEVERE DAMAGE WAS CAUSED TO THE AERODROME BUILDINGS AND WORKSHOPS AND AT LEAST 22 IRAQI AIRCRAFT WERE PUT OUT OF ACTION.

awash. Both vessels are claimed to Iraqi air force which, at the outbreak

## BOMBERS SINK ENEMY SHIPS

Skilful Action By R.A.F. Special to the "Telegraph"-

LONDON, May 4. (UP).—Describing Saturday's daylight attacks on shipping in the Straits of Dover by the R.A.F., the Air Ministry states that off Graveslines, which is situated between Dunkirk and Calais, bombers attacked a 2,000-ton ship which was being accompanied by two smaller ships of about 500

ing from it.

be total losses."

## Raids On N. African Coastline

R.A.F. Communique

ing was heralded by the playing of CAIRO, May 4 (Reuter).to the French coast, they attacked, set troops have occupied the airport, dock After a two-minute pause, Hitler R.A.F. bombers continued entered the hall and all members of harass the enemy, in Circuaica on fire and probably sunk a supply area and power station at Basra. throughout Saturday and the ship of 5,000 tons. memory of some dozen members previous night. The aerodrome who have fallen in battle and whose at Benina was heavily attacked names were read out by Marshal at night. Two Junkers troopcarriers were destroyed by on Brest," where the Scharnhorst bombs and machine-gun fire and and Gneisenau are lying, Admiral ous applause and shouts of "Sieg many others were severely Darlan, according to a Paris dispatch damaged.

The aerodrome was again said that European war-mongers severely bombed in daylight on and many troop-carriers

damaged. In Benghazi a large fire and violent explosions were caused on military objectives.

### Helping Land Forces

The R.A.F. has again given con tinuous powerful air support to successful operations of British ground MALTA, May 4 (Reuter).-Two forces in the Amba Alagi and Falag

> Great destruction was caused to enemy fortifications, motor transport and supplies by bombs and machinegun attacks.

Heavy casualties were inflicted on

enemy troops, From all these operations, adds the communique, all our aircraft returned safely.

## Air Display In Manila

"After several direct hits had

been scored, the larger ship set-

tled down by the stern with

clouds of smoke and steam ris-

hit and was left with her bows

"One of the smaller ships was also

Another formation of bombers,

escorted by fighters, attacked ships

off Boulogne. They were under

heavy gunfire from the shore bat-

teries as well as from the ships, but

Bombing of Brest

"Owing to the recept bombing raids

to the official German news agency

has decided that all workers in Brest

harbour who are heads of families

shall receive an additional allowance

Attack on Convoy

CAIRO, May 4 (Reuter).—An R.A.

F. communique reports that R.A.F.

bombers on May 2 attacked a convoy

destroyers, in the Mediterranean,

of enemy merchant ships, escorted by

Direct hits were made on the des-

troyers and three merchant ships of

12,000, 8,000 and 4,000 tons respec-

of 300 francs a month.

LONDON, May 4 (Reuter) .--

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

New U. S. Commander Welcomed

MANILA, May 4 (UP).-Thirty-six United States Army pursuit planes flew over Manila and Cavite in formation to-day

Air Corps Generals Officer Commanding the Air Forces of the Philip-pines—indicative of the stress the Coolies At United States Army is placing on the building up of its air strength in the

General Cingett was stationed in an infantry lieutenant.

editor of "Time" and "Life" also ment House. Clare Booth. They are en route to bearing the inscription: "His Ex- by unspecified means. Chungking, '-

## Appeal By Deposed Regent

LONDON, May 4 (Reuter).—It is LONDON, May 4 (Reuter).while fighters were coming up from officially announced that British His Royal Highness Emir Abdul forces but despite an extention of the in Palestine calling on Iraqis to British forces drove them out by rise against Rashid Ali and asserting that Rashid Ali and bombers heavily attacked petrol other ill-disposed persons bought by foreign gold have by force aerodrome outside Baghdad. Bombs "thrust me from my sacred demolished military buildings and duties as the guardian of my nephew; your beloved young CAIRO, May 4 (Reuter) .- British King."

bombers heavily attacked petrol Abdul Illah declares: "Under their Rashid's acrodrome outside Boghdad, evil sway, the noble land of Iraq has been poisoned by falsehood and lies and brought from the blessings c Bombs were also seen to turn over peace to the horrors of a venomous During this operation. British war.

### Returning To Iraq

"My duty is plain. I am returning to restore the tarnished honour of my native land and lead it back to !. drome by Iraqi guns was resumed early this morning, causing some machine-gunned mechanised transport with the result that the shelling brothers from this war brought upon Egypt. your hands by lies and intrigues of foreigners thinking only of their SIMLA, May 4 (Reuter).-When selfish interests. tension in Iraq became acute, Rushid All offered facilities 'to the British!

Iraql constitutional government, "Long Live King Felsal II!"

## After R.A.F. Visit to Milan

Royal Air Force on Milan. Italian firemen are seen at work on a wrecked building. Milan was not the only town to feel the power of the British bombers. Other towns in northern Italy were visited at the same time.



## The Iraqis agreed to withdraw their Illah has issued a proclamation Callant Kole by Greece Evacuation

LONDON, May 4 (Reuter) .- The great part played by the Royal Air Force in the withdrawal of the Empire force from Greece is told by the Air Ministry news service.

Thousands of men and women, it says, were evacuated by the R.A.F. while British fighters, heavily outnumbered, guarded the continuous stream of ships that went back and forth.

## Axis Eyes On Palestine

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

ROME, May 4 (UP).-In an editpeaceful prosperity under a lawfully orial in the "Voce d' Italia" to-day, constituted government. I call upon Signor Gayda, commenting on the all true sons of Iraq to drive out this British situation in the Mediterraneband of traitors and restore to our lan following the Greek defeat, hints beloved country true, liberty and that the Axis may attack. Palestine independence. Recall your sons and as well as resume the offensive in

He asserted that the Italian forces in Ethiopia are planning the re-"Soldiers! Go peacefully to your conquest of lost territory the moment stations and there peacefully await the British slacken the pressure. He my restoration of an independent also alleged that the hostilities in Iraq are obliging England to send considerable forces there.

The order for withdrawal set the RAF, the biggest task of the campaign, it says. Bombers, flying boats, captured enemy aircraft and British fighters played an outstanding part in getting Empire troops safely

All day and all night aircraft of every type-bombers; flying boats, training machines and civil aircraft pecked to capacity with human cargo -flew to safety and returned for

: The R.A.F. has countless stories of gallantry to tell of the evacuation.

### Ships Guarded

In addition to thousands of men and women brought away by nir, thousands more were guarded as they made the journey in big and little

Personnel of no longer existing British air forces in Greece scored perhaps the greatest triumph of six months of orduous campaigning, and though the R.A.F. suffered heavy losses, the enemy suffered far greater.

### Air Bases Lost

When, owing to the enemy breakthrough on the left flank, the Army commanders decided to withdraw to destroyed last night, an Air Ministry landing grounds they used at the close to the enemy lines to be used,

The enemy hammered at the few It became impossible to obtain replacements of aircraft. Nevertheless. Enemy airrenft crossed the south- the available planes took off at all the total down over Britain in the east and southwest coasts in daylight | times and inflicted great damage on to-day, penetrating a few miles in- the enemy forces.

### Six Months' Campaign

Details of the campaign before LONDON, May 4 (Reuter) Lon- Germany invaded Greece show that don had a night alert for the second at the end of six months of arduous night. in succession after a lull of fighting against Italy, R.A.F. bombers had carried out more than 800 raids and hearly 300 enemy aircraft were confirmed as destroyed in the air besides the huge total of aircraft Raiders were reported over several damaged in the air and on the

#### Roosevelt Says U.S Ready TURN to Back Page, Column 5 as a welcome to Brigadier-General Henry B. Clagett, To Fight For Democracy former Commander of Selfridge Field, Michigan, who arrived on the American Clipper. STAUNTON, Virginia, May 4 (Reuter).—Speaking at the

dedication of President Woodrow Wilson's birthplace as national shrine. President Roosevelt declared that the American people had fought before and were "ever ready to light again" for the existence of "democracy in the world."

son taught that democracy could happy peoples who placed their sole personnel. not survive in isolation. "We rellance on the sword have inevitably applaud his judgment and his Physical strength can never per-

Doclaring the Manse, where Wilson spiritual force." was born, "a new shrine of freedom," Lord and Lady Halifax, Mr and President Roosevelt said that by the Mrs Cordell Hull and Mrs Woodrow act of dedication, "we are bearing Wilson were among the large gathertrue witness to the faith that is in ing who applauded strongly when us a simple faith in the freedom of President Roosevelt notified the democracy in the world. It is the world that the United States was kind of faith for which we have "ever ready to fight again." fought before and for the existence Further cheers greeted the Preof which we are ever ready to fight, sident's declaration that those rely- Ramsay Muir, one of the most pro-

Triumphant End All recorded history bears witness science from power and the substitue Parliament and was Chalman of the human race has made true tion of freedom in the government National Titues I redesition of the world."

Advancement only as it has appres of the world."

perished by the sword in the end. manently withstand the impact of

The remainder of President Roo- and a noted writer on historical President Roosevelt expressed his sevelt's speech was devoted to an municipal and economic subjects, faith that democracy would omerge culogy of Woodrow Wilson as a died to-day need co. triumphent from "the tragic conflict statesman who tried to bring nearer . He resigned from University prowhich the world witnesses to-day, the day of "emancipation of con- fersorable and becameramember of

Writer-Politician Dies LONDON, May 4 (Reuter),-Mr ing on the sword would perish by it. minent members of the Liberal Party Botanical Gardens.

## LATEST

# The President said that Wil-clated human values. Those un-Philippines with new planes and Govt House

Another demonstration was staged by the unemployed night soil coolies them, mostly women, with children, Mr Henry R. Luce, author and marched from Caine Road to Govern-

cellency the Governor, Mercy. Restore our Living, Night Soll Arriving at Government House,

and around the doutside of the An emergency police van arrived lo keep order, the police being led

they proceeded to sequet down in

by ASP. Luscombe ....

## British Night Fighters Establish New Record

LONDON, May 4 (Reuter).—Destruction by fighters of 14 a new line, the R.A.F. suffered the of the 16 enemy bombers shot down during Saturday night, was severest blow of the campaign. They the Fighter Command's most successful night of the war, states, were sorced bases only and the odd temporary the Air Ministry,

Further claims for destruction communique says that one of them start. All the new aerodromes which the Philippines from 1908 to 1910 as this morning, when about 2,000 of of others are being investigated. was brought down by a balloon bar- had been built were lost or were too The highest number of raiders rage and two by anti-pircraft fire. previously brought down in one night The remainder were shot down by was 13 and of these one was brought British fighters, one over Northern remaining bases continuously so that arrived on the Clipper with his wife They were headed by a banner down by anti-aircraft fire and another France.

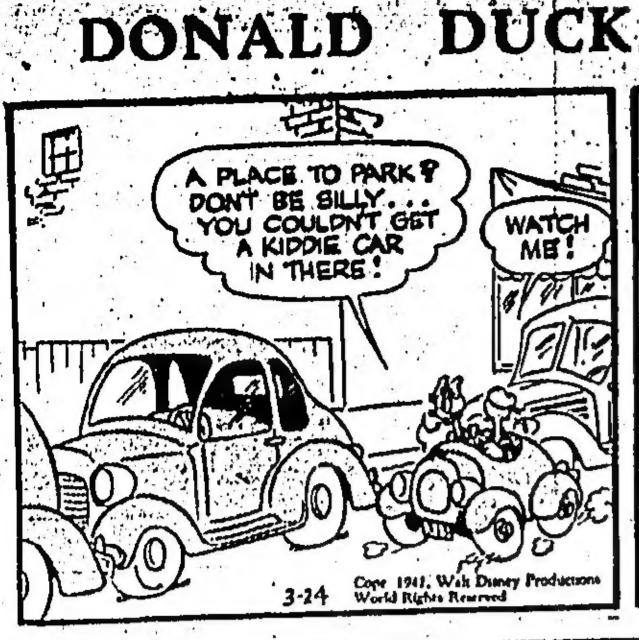
Last night's achievement brings first three nights in May to 21. In addition, one was brought down Upper Albert Road, Garden Road Friday night.

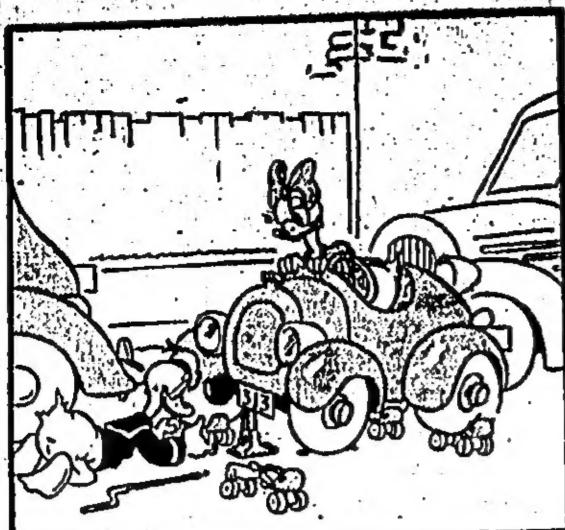
> Britain in April, 84 fell to British Since the war began, the Luftwalle | eight days. in day and night raids on Britain has

now lost 3,327 planes. Effective Night Fighters LONDON, May 4"(Reuter) == Con= firming that 16 enemy aircraft were parts of Britain.

land but no bombing is reported. Night' Alert Of 163 brought down in raids on

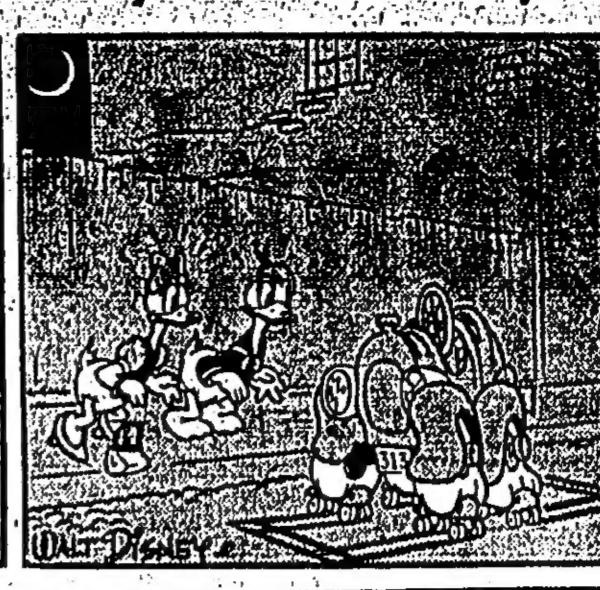
> No gunfire was heard for some time after the alarm.







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1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press and Announcements. 1.45 Dvorak-Quartet in A Flat Major, Op. 105. Prague String Quar-

2.15 Close Down. 5.45 p.m. Indian Programme.

6.30 Closing local Stock Quota-6.32 Mendelssolm-Concerto in E Op. 64. Fritz Kreisler

(Violin) and the State Opera Orches-

7.0 London Relay-The News. 7.15 London Relay-"Questions of the Hour." 7.30 Elleen Joyce (Plano) and

Pau Casals ('Cello). (a) Si oiscau j'etais, a toi je volerois (Bird study) (Henselt); (b) En Route (concert study) (Palmgren), La Danse d'Olaf (Riccardo Pick-Mangiagalli), Eileen Joyce (Piano); Apres un Reve (Faure). Village Song (Popper), Pau Casals ('Cello) with plane; Trois Danses Fantastiques (Shostakovich). Scherzo Op. 16 No. 2 (D'Albert). Joyce (Piano); Andante (Bach), Aria from suite in D (Bach), Pau Casals ('Cello) with piano. 8.0 Local Time Signal and An-

nouncements. 8.02 This week's progremmes. 8.05 Emil Roosz and his Orchestra. "Frasquita" Serenade from

(Lehar), Valentina (Wright-Dunn), Moorish March (Mohr). 8.15 London Relay-"Hi, Gang!" 9.0 London Relay-The News and

News Commentary. 9.15 Charlie Kunz at the Piano and the Mills Brothers.

Vocal-Sleepy Head (film "Operator 13"), Put on your Old Grey Bonnet (Murphy and Wenrich), The Mills Brothers; Plano-Kunz Revivals No. 2: Intro.: I Never Realised: Birth of the Blues: Pink Elephants; Rose in the Bud; Speak to me of Love; Someday I'll find You, Charlie Kunz; Vocal-Star Dust (Carmichael and others). The Mills Brothers: Plano-Kunz Revivals No. Intro.: Poor Butterfly: After You've Gone; Whispering; Alice Blue Gown; Just a little Love, a little Kiss; The Chocolate Soldier Waltz, Charlie Kunz: Vocal-Funiculi Funi-

Short Wave Only). 9.45 Concert Waltzes. Farmyard Waltz (Folk Tune); Springtime Waltz (Composer Unknown), Continental Novelty Orchestra; When the Lemons Bloom (Johann Strauss), Johann Strauss and Symphony. Orchestra: Souvenir Fleuri (Composer Unknown), Nullo Romani and His Orchestra.

cula (Denza). Asleep in the Deep

9.45-10.0 News in French (on

(Petric, Lumb), The Mills Brothers.

10.0 London Relay-"News from Home" by Howard Marshall. 10.15 New Dance Music with

Varioty. Fox-Trots-Oh! Look at me now. Dark'), This is New (film (Lady in havigation.

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Tommy Dorsey and, his Orchestra; which arrived in Hongkong on Friday N. T. Tam, La Tex-rond, and Fond gates of the workers interviewed Mr dearly in the Balkans. Vocal—A Little Old Church in Eng- reported to the Police that he sighted CHI-YING (Chairman, Tung Wah F. B. Teesdale, Administrative Asland (Irving Berlin), Barry Wood a burning junk in Latitude 22° 23' Hospital).



TO PALESTINE-Italian prisoners captured by the British in the Libyan campaign are shipped to Palestine for internment. Here they are shown disembarking from a train at an undisclosed point after travelling from the Western Desert.

## SUPER - CLIPPERS FLY BEFORE 1942

Six new Boeing 42-ton super-Clippers, ordered by Pan-American Airways, are being prepared, months ahead of their original schedule, to take their place on the world's airways before the end of this year.

Construction on the Clippers is being accelerated for two good reasons. One is to clear the Boeing plant for production of flying fortresses. Equally important, even as a wartime measure, is to use these ships to expand trans-Atlantic passenger and mail service.

## Nightsoil Workless Appeal

Executive and Legislative Councils, with the Chairman of the Tung Wah Hospital Committee, have now intervened in the nightsoil impasse, to invite the charitable to donate money for relief of coolies who have been thrown out of work by the Government's taking over of the service. The following letter, which speaks for itself, is addressed to the Editor,

South China Morning Post: Sir,-May we trespass upon your columns to appeal to the charitable minded of Hongkong to give donations to form a relief fund for the night soil coolies who are unemployed as the result of Government taking over the night soil removal, pending their re-absorption by the Urban Council or other employment. We should like to make it clear

lowing terms: relief will have complete discretion increased and space found for a galley | Light gun practice will be carried as to what relief should be given, and at the front of the passenger quarters, out between the hours of 6 p.m. and in particular the Relief Body shall New interior decorative treatment 12 midnight on May, 7, 8, 9, 1941. have full discretion in refusing ald includes a new fabric into which Firing Areas "D" and "E" will be where the Rellef Body is satisfied has been woven a design of the map affected. that the applicant for relief is not of the world. should there be any ultimate balance car-marked for Britain. remaining, we are to have full discretion, in consultation with the Hon. the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, to donate such balance to charities, in-

the Dark'). Lee Reisman and His stead of returning the same to the

Yours faithfully.

So big are the flying boats that | the hull must be trundled outside the plant to the dock where the wings, tail surfaces, hydrostabilisers and engines are attached. Here in its beaching gear with cranes and workmen handling-it,-the-Clipper\_is\_again\_for-to-day:matter of shipbuilding.

Known officially as Model 314-A, same basic size and design as the 4 p.m. Alternative dates—May, 8, 9, Boeing Model 314 now in use. But they have the improvements that the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. for make them "super," new enginepropeller combination, increased fuel capacity and interior improvements. ly detailed for 28/4/41, 1/5/41, and Engines in the super-Clippers are Wright Cyclones with 1,600 horsepower per engine available for quicker take-off. Propellers have midnight. Firing Areas "D" and "E" been increased 10 inches in diameter. will be affected.

Fuel tanks built into the hydrostabilisers of the new ships hold an additional 1,200 gallons of fuel. notified for to-morrow: This gives them a total capacity of 6,400 gallons which means that the now Olippers have a greater non- tween the hours of 9 a.m. stop cruising range, amounting to and 4 p.m. Firing area "C" will be affected. Alternative date-May, more than 4,000 miles. 1941; (b) Reserved between the hours

New Features

Clipper users will notice several gun practice in the southern area of that donations are invited on the fol- new features in the ship's interiors. the Island (originally detailed for By a rearrangement of the seats the 28/4/41, 1/5/51, and 2/5/41.). Firing That the Body responsible for the night time sleeping capacity has been Area "C" will be affected.

making any bona fide efforts to ob- The new ships are presumably the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. for tain employment, e.g. by registering intended for the trans-Atlantic air- heavy gun anti-aircraft practice in with the Urban Council for employ- ways. Recent news dispatches from the southern area of the Island (oriment as soon as a vacancy occurs. Pan-American of three of them for ginally detailed for 28/4/41, 1/5/41, Whilst relief will be given to the use in maintaining British Empire and 2/5/41). Firing Area "C" will be extent of the financial resources communications and it is understood affected. available, on the lines stated above, that these bonts are being tentatively

#### Nazi Racket STOCK MARKET In Newsprint REPORT Hongkong Stock Exchange Official

Germany, with her army Summary issued on Saturday: sprawling all over the Continent, Buyers holding communications tightly Providents \$4.60 in her grasp, is exploiting her Tram \$16 position by acting as middleman Entertalnment, \$6.50. between one country and an-

Hotels \$2.60 Ropes \$7 .

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service, the coolles, who held two Through the courtesy of the Press street demonstrations last week are t is hoped to publish in due course now seeking legal advice to prepare a complete list of subscriptions a petition to be presented to His Ex- change rates the Nazis are buying the equipped with speedy Browster RODERT KOTEWALL, M. K. Lo, W. It will be recalled that four dele- Sweden and Finland, and selling fighter pilots.

## RICE Government Sets Up Monopoly

The Hongkong Government issued Saturday an important communique, announcing a change in the rice control scheme.

The policy hitherto has been to avoid direct Government storage and trading. Instead, dealers have been licensed, with the keeping of ndequate stocks as an essential condition of licence. Import has been facilitated and export has been permitted. Prices have been fixed.

Thus Government has tried (1) to ensure against shortage, (2) to keep prices down, (3) to avoid destroying private enterprise, (4) to avoid departmental complications and loss to the taxpayer, (5) to keep stock moving and so avoid deterioriation.

The plan, however, is not considered to have worked satisfactorily, and the necessity for close co-operation with the Shanghai authorities appears or shorter periods in Local or Other Curto have arisen. Government has to have arisen. Government has therefore decided to take full control of the wholesale rice trade, which means a Government monopoly of import and export.

the shortage of Thailand rice, the ascertained at any of its Agencies and community will have learn to like the softer, more glutinous Burma

Text of Communique

The communique issued on Satur-day is signed by the Colonial Secretary, Hon. Mr N. L. Smith, and

"The Rice position, both in Hongkong and Shanghai, has been most unsatisfactory for some months past, speculation in the commodity having been rife and profiteering impossible of adequate control. Generally, prices obtainable for rice in Shanghal, or other districts to which reexports were made from Shanghai, were so unreasonably higher than the controlled prices fixed in Hongkong following places in China is temthat it was only a metter of time be- porarily suspended:-Yunnan, Szefore the local domestic price level chuen, Kwelchow, Hunan, Fuklen reached parity with the export mar- (except Amoy and Kulangsu), ket rates, and such operations re-

curred with frequency. "It became obvious that only joint control by the Authorities of both Firing practice as under is notified Ports could be effective in preventing, as far as possible, further exploitation of the rice consumer, and (a) Heavy gun practice beassist in the maintenance of steady tween the hours of 9 a.m. and

markets at sources of supply. "To this end the Hongkong Government and the Shanghai Municipal Council have negotiated an arrangement providing that rice supplies destined for the International Settlement, Shanghal, should be exported exclusively to the Municipal Council affected; (c) Light gun practice there, who will now become the between the hours of 6 p.m. and 12 direct importers of such supplies and effect their distribution to retailers.

"It is thus hoped that the rice situation, as affecting both Ports, will soon be regularised and the consumer be in a position to purchase the commodity at reasonable prices.

"Because of the excessively high prices of rice to local consumers, uncertainty of future supplies and increasing scarcity of shipping facilities, the Hongkong Government, with the approval of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, intend assuming a monopoly of all rice imports and exports at the expiration, on the 31st May, 1941, of the current licensed importation scheme set up under the Essential Commodities Reserves Ordinance of 1939.

"The monopoly is to be a war time measure only, but its continuance for some time after the conclusion of hostilities may prove necessary. "Due to the comparative shortage

in the last rice crop in Thailand, the exportable surplus of which dropped to 60% of the previous year's crop, and the uncertainty of obtaining regular rice suppliers from other sources, increasing reliance on Burma is necessitated for the supply of the domestic requirements of Hongkong and its entrepot trade, and as a consequence, the local consumer who, in the past, has largely favoured Thailand rice, will now have no option but to consume more of the Burma product."

## Train Malayans

certificates in Malayan flying clubs about two months. For many years Germany has been and upon the outbreak of war joined a heavy buyer of these commodities the Royal Air Force in Singapore, THANKS TO NAVY from Scandinavia. With their arbitrarily fixed ex- now stationed in Malaya, which is pulp and newsprint in Norway, Buffalo fighters, to be trained as

They will be taught by experienced In their efforts to obtain revision Council, on Friday. On Thursday, ability to hold up supplies of news hurling their Spitfires, and Hur-Trots—Jenny (film Lady in the The hulk is considered a danger to of Government's decision regarding they had appealed to the Secretary print to ensure that Nazism gets at hordes of the German

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The public are reminded that it is a breach of postal regulations to enclose in a postal cover communications intended for persons other

than the liddressee. The Printed Matter Service to the Kwangsi, North and East of

Kwangtung. Small Packet Post to all countries is suspended.

INWARD AIR MAILS Air, Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"-San Francisco Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"-San Francisco 

OUTWARD AIR MAILS Monday, May 5 Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, U.S.A. and Europe via "Pan American Airways and Trans-Atlantic

Service." Reg. ..... May 5, 5 p.m. G.P.O. 

Friday, May 9 Air Mail by Air to Rangoon to connect with the "British Overseas Airways."

G.P.O. Ord. ........May 9, 4.30 p.m.

Tuesday, May 18 Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, U.S.A., and Europe vis "Pan American Airways and Trans-Atlantic Service."

K.P.O.

.......May 18, 5.30 p.m. Reg. ..... May 13, 5 p.m. 

Reg. .,.......May 18, 5 p.m.

Britain's Plant In U.S. Working Great Britain's new smokeless

powder plant in Memphis (Tennessee) is now in production. The Tennessee Powder Co., a du Pont affiliate that built and is operating the plant under contract with the British Purchasing Commission, said "production rate is being increased as rapidly as possible and should approach normal in a short time." It was said 2,000 employees are

engaged in enctual manufacture of powder. Construction on various units of the \$20,000,000 plant is will Malayan pilots who gained their in progress but will be complete in

When Field-Marshal Lord Milno gave a luncheon at the Savoy in honour of members of the American Legion in London grace was said by Mr. J. J. Jordan, High Commissioner

These were his words: "For what we are about to eat, Thanks be to God and the British Floot

Ping Shan Police Station he admitted

who he was and said he had come

bers in the Colony of Hongkong.

said: Mr Attorney, I present to you

Attorney General's Welcome

Mr Cressall Replies

Attorney, I would like first of all to

The Attorney General said:

Tuesday

happiness here.

three finals of the badminton cham- he has been appointed.

between Miss M. Silva and Miss M. Hongkong.

A. Xavier, and Mrs Zimmern and

Of the losing pair, Mrs Torrible

In the junior doubles, A. L. Fisher

played the better game and was

responsible in saving many a point.

Fisher brought off good smushes and

fine recoveries. The losing pair were

The postponed junior singles semi-

Chelliah resulted in a win for Young.

15-9, 15-18, 15-8. Young had his

40th birthday of His Imperial Japan-

ese Majesty, Emperor Hirohito, K.G.,

den of the Hongkong Hotel, when the are able to make it.

G.C.B., G.C.V.Q., was celebrated in Mr Justice Cressall replied: Mr

and the Consul, Mr S. Kimura, who Justice for his very kind remarks in

recently arrived in Hongkong, re- introducing me to you and also to

ceived the guests, among whom were thank you for the very warm wel-

H.E. the General Officer Command- come you have addressed me. I can

ing the Troops, Major-General A. E. assure you that in my past experi-

The Consul-General, Mr S. Yano express my gratitude to the Chief

and P. Wynter-Blyth beat C.

Pereira and A. E. Xavier.

18-14. Both Wynter-Blyth

both over-anxious. Pereira

smashes and Xavier in net play.

own way in the first game,

through many faults.

traditional manner.

Justice P. E. F. Cressall.

shots which proved effective.

April 28

Italian Priest Fined. Francis Ric- from Namtau to get provisions for ciardi, the Italian Roman Catholic his mission and hospital there. priest who was charged at Central Asked by His Worship why he Magistracy on April 24 with breach called himself a Spanish subject, of the Defence Regulations—being an Defendant said that he gave the enemy alien found in Lau Fau Shan, excuse "to save his skin."

Ping Shan, a protected area, without Imports And Exports. The Superthe permission of the First Security intendent of Imports and Exports has Officer-was fined \$50 or one month's released for publication the following imprisonment by Mr G. T. Lowry tables of wholesale price index numo-day.

The Magistrate said: "As I have The index-which is unweightedreceived no further information from has been constructed from declarathe Prosecution I must accept your tions furnished to the Statistical story that you came over from Branch of the Imports and Exports Namtau to buy provisions and for Department by importers. no other purpose. I am therefore There was a general average inimposing a nominal fine. I emphasise crease of 20.6 per cent. In the 1st that this is purely a nominal fine." Quarter of 1941 as compared with

Chief Det.-Inspector A. H. Elston the 1st Quarter of 1940. stated at the previous hearing that The Foodstuffs, group increased by Defendant was seen in a Chinese 26.3 per cent. in the 1st Quarter of eating-house in Lau Fau Shan on the 1941 as compared with the 1st Quarafternoon of April 21. He was not ter of 1940; Textiles by 13.3 per cent. dressed in cierleal garb and when Metals and Minerals by 20.8 per cent. questioned said he was a Spanish and Miscellaneous items by 20.5 per they are given the support they have subject named Lopes. Taken to the cent.

pionships were decided.

Farewell at Stanley. A very en-

joyable "smoker" was held in the

Prison Officers' Club at Stanley on

the occasion of a forewell presenta-

tion to Mr H. G. Fuller prior to his

retirement from the Prison Depart-

Mr Fuller first arrived in the

Colony over 30 years ago, when in

1910 he was stationed at Lyemun

with the 83rd Coy, R.G.A. He was

later transferred to the Peking

Legation Guard; and served under

Sir John Jordan who was the British

Minister to Peking at that time. In

1914 Mr Fuller went to France,

being attached to the first 2.92

Howitzer Brigade in the war. After

serving on most fronts from Belgium

to Germany, he returned to China in

1919 with the Labour Corps and

joined the Chinese Maritime Customs

at Shanghai as a tide-waiter, from

where he was transferred to Pakhoi.

Leaving the Customs in 1922, he

joined the Prison Department, from

which he is now retiring after 19

In his younger days Mr Fuller re-

presented his unit in swimming

races and water polo events, and was

a useful hand in the Kudd racing.

which is a well-known sport in the

Major J. L. Willcocks, D.S.O., M.C.,

Commissioner of Prisons, made a

presentation on behalf of the Staff

of a silver ten service to Mr Fuller.

and thanked him for the good work

he had done in the Prison garden at

Laichikok, and said he understood

that Mr Fuller was going in for

gardening on an extensive scale when

Willcocks was sure that he would

he would live many happy years in retirement with his family, who are

Mr Fuller made a suitable reply.

in which he thanked all members

of the Staff for their token of esteem.

and for the kind words said both

about himself and the good wishes

extended to Mrs Fuller; and said that

when he was finally settled he hoped

to have the pleasure of seeing any

of his friends when they were in the

Mr F. N. Hill was Master of Cere-

monies, and a delightful programme

was presented by several members

of the Staff, the artists being Messrs

E. W. Perry, S. Hodge, J. Docherty,

A. D. Spoors, W. Doxford, J. W.

Grant, F. N. Hill, R. F. Rosen, C. J.

Norman, H. G. Fuller, J. W. Fitz-

Gerald, C. V. Jamieson, the "Great

Marvino," Major J. L. Willcocks, A.

Jillott, and Drs E. W. R. Hackett and

Masons at Church. The annual

Masonic Church Service under the

auspices of the District Grand Lodge

of Scottish Freemasonry was held at the Union Church to-day. The service

was conducted by Rev. K. Mackenzie

Dow, and Rev. J. E. Sandbach, Dis-

Mosons entered the Church led by

the District Grand Master of the Scottish Lodge, Mr J. E. Ferguson, and the

District Grand Master, English Con-

stitution, Hon. Mr C. G. Alabaster.

They were followed by Worshipful

Brother R. J. Shrigley, Deputy District

Grand Master (Scottish), and Worship-

ful Brother L. C. F. Bellamy (English).

Then came the officers of the two Dis-

trict Grand Lodges, followed by mem-

The Call to Worship and prayer of

Invocation and Confession were said by Mr Mackenzle Dow and the Lesson. taken from Psalm 33, was read by Mr

In the course of the prayer of

Chanksgiving and Intercession, Mr Sandbach recalled that the day was, Anzac Sunday and prayers were offered for Australian, New Zealand and

Empire soldiers so bravely fighting in

St Paul's Epistle to the Colossians, "Whatsoever you do, do it in the name

Aid For Schools More than ten Chinese schools in Hongkong will receive subsidies from the Overseas Affairs Commission of the National Government during the current year. They include Fong Lam College, Mul

Fong College, Yeung Chung Girls' School, Chung Wah School, Kwong Wah College, Wah Klu School and Wah

The Overseas Affairs Commission appropriates every year certain sums as subsidies for well-operated Chinese

schools in Hongkong, Macao and South

Sea regions with the view to promoting

oversens Chinese education.

Mr Mackenzie Dow delivered a sermon, the text of which was taken from

at present in Australia.

Old Country.

G. I. Shaw.

Longyear as organist.

bers of other Lodges.

Sandbach.

of the Lord.'

Nam College.

he finally arrived in England. Major

years' service.

Artillery.

ment on the grounds of ill-health.

The Principal **Topics** 

April 30

Hemingway Returns, "Provided they cannot continue the fight indefinitely against the Japanese," declared Mr Ernest : Hemingway, noted war correspondent and author, who has just returned to Hongkong after a long tour of the China war fronts.

tion at the Kowloon Cricket Club who this morning takes his seat for had seen, especially the Chinese was taxed to capacity to-night when the first time on the Bench to which soldiers, whom he saw at work. He did not see much fighting, as things I have assured my brother that he were quiet at the fronts.

unsuccessfully defended his title tises, before him a high standard of who was accompanied by his wife match. Choy took the first game at and jenious regard for the ctiquette correspondent for Collier's magazine, an admirable swing throughout. 15-5 with hardly any opposition, and decencies of the profession, and visited Shiukwan, Kweilin, Kunming, Wong improved slightly in the second that he may confidently count on Chungking, and the Hupeh war front. game and was successful in a receiving from everyone that same While in Chungking, Mr Heming-

former pair winning 15-7, 15-7, Miss Court, I extend to my brother Cres- the Burma Road during his visit to Silva was faultless in her net play sall a very warm welcome to Hong- Lashio and Rangoon, and noted long and her partner excelled in drop- kong, and our best wishes for his lines of vehicles bringing in supplies to Free China. Supplies were reaching Chungking without any interruption, he said, and he did not notice any stoppage of traffic owing to the

to extend to your Lordship a very In Refusee Camps. Figures of the

Majesty's service and on the Magis- week ending April 20, are given bebut terial and Judicial Bench in British low, with figures for April 19 in make a success of it, and trusted that Chelliah took a well deserved second Guiana arki Palestine. We feel con- brackets: Chellish took a well deserved second Guillia and the happy relations that King's Park 1,299 (1,299); Matau- is still under consideration, but will I game. Young won the third game have been established between the chung 1,695 (1,718); North Point be made available for publication as Reception. His Excellency the Bench and the officers and practic 1,526 (1,519); Morrison Hill 516

The grand total for April 26 was 11,073, as compared with 10,973 for

April 19, showing an increase of 100. Tennis Championships. Tsui Waifinal of the Colony's Tennis Doubles Championship to-day when they easily defeated G. W. Sewell and D. M. MacDougall, 6-2, 6-1, 6-2.

brothers' play was far above that of their opponents, the game was not Grasett, and the Hone Captain Col- ence on the Bench there is one out- entirely devoid of interest. There were linson, Commodore, as well as Un-standing thing that I have always a number of hard-hitting duels and official and Official members of tried to remember and that is that spectacular volleys in which Sewell Council, members of the Govern- no member of the Judicial Bench can and MacDougall acquitted themselves ment, the Consular body, and others. make successful his job unless he has creditably. Sawell was fairly suc-New Pulsne Judge. Both branches the complete co-operation and cessful with his forehand drives and of the legal profession as well as friendship of his brother members MacDougall brought off some excelthe staff of the Supreme Court, of the profession. I myself always lent smashes.

headed by the Hon. Mr C. G. Alabas- regard members of the profession as The elder Tsul played for below ter, K.C., Attorney General, gathered brothers in every sense of the word form, frequertly over-hitting and netat the Summary Court to-day to wel- and I know as I sit here that mem- ting easy returns. Yan-pul, however, was present, the physical effort proved refused to run for them, Tsui increased come the new Puisne Judge, Mr bers of the profession will extend to served and volleyed well. The win- unavailing. It was a grand try, and pressure and smashed through to win Craigengower by one shot in the · me the help and assistance that any ners were never seriously extended Introducing the new Judge, the newcomer to the Bench of this and the match was over in a little on 40, the effort was all the more under 40 minutes.

To May 3

Badminion Finals. Accommoda and to the members of both branches Mr Hemingway said that he was

in the senior singles, Patrick Wong will find from everyone who prac-During his tour, Mr Hemingway,

number of dropshots, but was unable measure of ready and willing assis- way had a long interview with to do anything with Choy's smashes, tance which has been always ac- Generalissimo Chiang Kal-shek, Dr Choy took the second game 15-8. corded to me and to all the Puisne H. H. Kung, General Ho Ying-ching, The result of the women's doubles Judges who have sat since I came to War Minister, and other high officials, while his wife saw Madame Chiang On behalf of myself, the Registrar Kai-shek.

Mrs Torrible was as expected, the and every member of the staff of the Mr Hemingway flew over part of Japanese bombing of the road. Justice Cressall, I regard it as a great

He concluded by reiterating that privilege to be present here to-day, he was most impressed with everyon behalf of the Officers of this thing he had seen, especially the high Court and of the members of both morale of the Chinese leaders and the branches of the legal profession and people whom he had met.

warm and sincere welcome on your number of Chinese refugees and destaking your seat on this Colony's titutes accommodated in the Hongfinal between T. S. Young and D. Bench for the first time, after a long kong Government camps, as supplied and distinguished career in His by the Medical Department for the

Governor, Sir Geoffry Northcote, re- tioners of the Court during the last (517); Tai Hang squatters camp replied on benall of the guests at this-Colony,—We trust that your 2,318—(2,234);—Fanling—Children's—ing-April-was-mainly-unsettled; with-Mr-and-Mrs-E.-M.-Raymond,—to-day's reception by the Consul- this-Colony,—We trust that your 2,318—(2,234);—Fanling—Children's—ing-April-was-mainly-unsettled;—with-Mr-and-Mrs-E.-M.-Raymond,—to-day's reception by the Consul- this colony,—We have used to be a party of the consul- this colony,—We have used the colony of the colony,—We have used the colony of the colony

General for Japan at the Roof Gar- future here will be as happy as we Camp 355 (328). pul and Tsul Yan-pul entered the

Although the standard of the Tsui

## Chursday very variable temperatures. From

Y.M.C.A. Play. Somerset Maug-ham is one of the most skilful of present-day dramatists, and his plays, no matter how frail their story range, 5th caused a fall in temperature of never fall to bear out his expert 30°F. in 24 hours, and the minimum knowledge of the theatre and what temperature on the 6th was the lowthe average audience wants. "Mrs est ever recorded in April, The next Dot," which was presented by the few days were mainly cloudy, with European Y.M.C.A. Dramatic Club frequent rain or drizzle and occasionslight plot.

knew exactly how much to make of thunderstorms. their respective parts and wrung the best out of the piece.

the good team work shown by the normal.

local dramatics, created a decidedly fall was above normal for the fourth favourable impression as Mrs Dot, successive month, the total being 8.69 the wealthy widow who makes up inches against a normal of 5.20 inches her mind to gain the affections of a The total rainfall since January 1 is penniless bachelor. The latter, well now 25.66 inches. enacted by David Ingleby, loves Mrs Dot, but discovers it only after he else. Thereby the complications!

Ralph Dormer gained further laurels as the moneyed cynic, Blen- April was 51.8, on April 4, 1905.) kinsop. A veteran on the boards here, Mr Dormer confirmed general other roles were also in good hands, against K. W. Choy in a one-sided professional attainment and a strict the former Martha Gellhorn and and the whole farce was played with

> Y.M.C.A. war charities are benemore performances will be given.

invalided out of the Government sets. Service, it is learned officially this

Mr Forrest, who has been in ill-sets in a hard fought match. health for some time, will be leaving

"The question of a General Agent. ment, particularly the agreement be- the winners and runners-up and A. von Kobza-Nagy and how far that of the Hon. Secretary, Mr M. Talan. Government official yesterday.

is still under consideration, but will Pearce to present the prizes. soon as possible.

to-night, was entertaining despite a al thunder. There was a short spell of warm fair weather from the 13th to the 18th, but the remainder of the The Y.M.C.A, players deserve a big month was cloudy and very unsetbouquet for their effort, for they tled, with much rain and some heavy

the 1st to the 5th it was fair and

Much of the success is due to the normal. A maximum of 85.0" was when a full programme of matches in producer, Charles Thom, but it is recorded on the 18th and 21st; the three divisions of the League was fair to say that, despite his apprecia- minimum of 50° occurring on the 6th tive direction, the performance would was a record for April. The mean In the First Division, Recreio overnot have been what it was without relative humiditar was 8466 which is some a stiff hundle but defended to the latest the first division. not have been what it was without relative humidity was 84%, which is came a stiff hurdle by defeating their

Winifred Dalziel, a newcomer to against a normal of 115 hours. Rain- and the Bowling Green Club "A".

The maximum wind velocity in a hus got himself engaged to someone gust was 51 m.p.h. at 9.15 a.m. on the

(The previous lowest recording for

Badminton Finals, Former triple badminton champion of the Colony, opinion as to his dramatic gifts. The P. K. Hool to-night staged a fine comeback to secure a double when, with H. F. Chew, he won the senior doubles championship, defeating K. W. Choy and K. B. Low over three fiting from the production, and two sets, and with Miss Ulian Khoo, with whom he had won the title three years in succession, annexed the Mr Forrest Retiring, Mr R. A. D. mixed doubles title, beating K. W Forrest, Immigration Officer, has been Choy, and Mrs Castro in straight

> T. S. Young won the junior title when he beat A. L. Fisher over three

for Australia later this month. He . The standard of play throughout had the misfortune to become afflict- the evening was magnificent, and ed suddenly and seriously with neph- although Young and Fisher were not ritis (kidney trouble) three weeks quite up to the standard of the ago and he has been in Queen Mary seniors, their match was the most Hospital. He will require prolonged thrilling of the evening and by far the most gruelling.

Mr S. A. Gray, President of the for the Immigration Department is Badminton Association, made a short still under consideration by Govern- speech in which he congratulated tween Mr R. A. D. Forrest and Mr E. paid tribute to the magnificent work agreement is still binding," stated a Mr Gray said the championships had established a record in attendances. proving the growing popularity of The Special Commission's report on the game as 1,300, people had paid the Immigration Inquiry, which has for admission to the semi-finals and ulready been handed to Government, finals. He then called on Mrs T. E.

Among the guests were Hon. Mr J. P. Pennefather-Evans, Commis-Governor, Sir Geonry Northcote, reContinue to exist under 2,567 (2,557); Ngau Tau Kok April Weather. The Royal Obser-sioner of Police; Mr C. G. Perdue and presenting His Majesty the King, century will continue to exist under 2,567 (2,557); Ngau Tau Kok April Weather. The Royal Obser-sioner of Police; Mr C. G. Perdue and replied on behalf of the guests at your guidance as Puisne Judge of squatters camp 807 (801); Kam Tin vatory reports that the weather dur. Mrs Perdue, Hon. Mr T. E. Pearce,

crowd filled the stand and chairs at most without error. Three-all was the Hongkong Cricket Club to-day to see Tsui Wai-pui defeat S. A. Rumjahn, holder, in the semi-final of the tennis next two games to lead 5-3, Sirdar, championships, 5-7, 8-6, 0-1, 6-0.

considering that his age is bordering the set 3-0.

effects on the holder. He made little fourth sets and the motch. or no effort to return Tsul's dropshots, and it was generally believed should offset any adverse-criticism.

in the first set he missed a chance to April Rainfall. Some idea of the Messrs D. J. N. Anderson, F. E. E. clinch it. Tsui levelled but Sirdar out heavy rainfall experienced during Booker, G. T. Lowry, J. P. Penne-positioned him to take the next two April can be obtained from the figures father-Evans, F. F. W. Shaftain, Dr

atruggled gallantly to level and suc- From April 20 onwards it was a very Messra S. V. Boxer, L. Forster, P. ceeded so; well that he took the game wet period. During the three days Cockchin, Dr. G. A. C. Herklots, after two deuces. Had Sirdar taken April 21 and 23, the measurement on Messra M. A. Johnson, Rwok Chan, that rame, a different story might per-each day was respectively, 1.34, 1.94 Lee, Iu-cheung, S. E. Lloyd, Lo haps have been written, as Isul was and 1.20. In the 24 hours from April Tung-fan, Ng Chak-wa and Dr.J. T. definitely not sure of himself. 28 to 29 the rall was 8.50 inches styre. Smalley are a second stress of the rall was 8.50 inches styre. Smalley are a second stress of the rall was 8.50 inches styre.

However, this gain released his hitherto hidden prowess and confidence capacity and he began to drive and volley alsoon called and Tsui then took the however, fought back to level at 5-all and again led in the 11th, Sirdar Rumjahn's collapse in the third and missed a set point in the next game fourth sets constituted one of the most missed a set point in the next game surprising upsets in his tennis career and Tsul from then on was unbeatable, as he was widely noted for his amazing his deep drives finding the far corners staming and second wind. That never- of the court, and he followed them say-die look was sadly missing to-day. With beautiful volleys. His drop shots, must have so undermined his strength executed with an underhand cut, just that although the will to fight back skimmed the net, and when Sirdar

started on the third set. He managed Hongkong Cricket Club, although up It was apparent in the eighth game to take the first game on his service, on two rinks, lost to Recreio, while the second set, with Tsui leading but it was his last, for Tsui won 12 Indian Recreation Club, who finished 5-3, that the fast pace was having ill games in a row to win the third and at the bottom last season, surprised

Nightsoil Coolles Protest. Carrying Only one seven was recorded, and that he was conserving his strength several banners bearing the words that was by R. Duncan's rink in the for the remaining sets. It was not "Restore our livelihood" and "Give us First Division. so, however. His strength was being back our century-old jobs," some 200 gradually sapped, and his weak returns nightsoil coolies, mostly women, march- The new system of point scoring were killed. The last two sets were ed from Blake Gardens to the Post was introduced and is as follows: Two indeed a pitlable slaughter, but the Office Building this afternoon for the points for a win on aggregate of shots glory of having fought a great bottle purpose of petitioning the Urban Coun- and one point for each winning rink. against a much younger adversary cil to have the new scheme-whereby A draw halves the points. Government takes over control of the removal-cancelled.

wearing down his opponent, he began under the verandah on the Praya, anniversary at "The Wattles," Stoneto gain a measure of confidence. He some of them weeping and walling cutters, to-day, when a large numwas, however, completely mastered in a deputation of six, including four ber of Naval and civilian friends the first set although it went to 12 women, went up to the Urban Coun-gathered to offer their congratulagames, but he was the undisputed cil. The Hon. Mr W. J. Carrie, tions.
dictator from the later stages of the Chairman of the Council, being away tions. second stanza. He placed the ball on sick leave, they saw Mr E. B. where he wanted, knowing with cer- Teesdale, Administrative Assistant,

and fourth sets.

It was learned from another source, with Naval wireless for 30 years.

The first two sets were duels of court-craft, in which both players exploited their bag of tricks. Sirdar mixed his shots extremely well and when he received an opening he crashwhen he received an opening he crashwhen courselved was the the carrying out of the scheme, the Peace:

It was learned from another source, with Naval wireless for 30 years.

The couple have two sons now wanted was to have the new scheme serving in H. M. Navy.

The reply they received was that the war.

The reply they received was that the only been appointed Official Justices of the first set he missed a chance to

recorded at the Hongkong Botanic Dean A. Smith and Dr S. Tomlinson.

Gardens. The total for the month was The following have been appointed.

Rumlahn quickly ran into a 3-1 lead 1036 inches, rain measured on fifteen Unofficial Justices of the Peace:

In the second set and in the fifth game days, with two dry periods, at the beled 40-love on his own service. Tsui ginning and middle of the month.

Messrs S. V. Boxer L. Forster P.

The mean temperature for the Lawn Bowls Start. The Lawn Bowls

May 3

erstwhile rivals, Craigengower, while victories were also gained by Indian Sunshine amounted to 83 hours, Recreation Club, Service, Recreio "B"

### Quips By "Argus" With Acknowledgments

Solicitors are urged to save everybody's time by putting in clear statements of claim and defence. But it's a bit hard, after a lad's father has spent so much on his law education, to make him talk common English.

As I understand Japan's hopes, X=the Axis, Y=Britain, Z= Japan, A=America, B=China. Then X+Z=Y+A+B, but Y-A=ZZ, and B-(A+Y)=Z(X+Z)=ZZZ, and the equation should be X+Y+Z=B-A=ZZZZ

The seven ages of the best people in Hongkong.-White drill, alpaca, khaki shorts, pith helmets, double teral, white shorts, curly

Still I think the war should be fought humanely. Captured Itallans should be protected from being rescued to suffer all over

"To retire from Government service a poor man requires honesty and integrity,"-and, of course, exceptionally poor luck in Cash Sweeps,

taken from a pew during a church service. But look under the seat. Maybe somebody who lost out in the hassock scramble.

Another good reason for double-

A military byereddt has been

decker buses; the beggars can't pester you at the windows. Middlemen's services raise the price of a 5s. tin hat to 25s. That's

why it's so hard to keep the lid

on the cost of living. A .newcomer expresses surprise that there are not more people living in such a delightful place as the Peak. But in time he'll

discover Kowloon-and the Peak

Reservation\_Ordinance.\_ The Eugenics Clinics in the Refugee Camps have been discontinued, as the inmates have all been served and the population in

the camps is almost stationary. That's what I call service. Maybe they'd better look into some of those cracks. The Im-

may have fallen into one. Broken rice (at first grade prices) is now described as Government rice.

migration Commission's Report

Stanley or Tung Wah blend? A. Schoolmistress sends the following from a scholar's extrcisc-book;-"Stencils are what must be cut from your throat to

prevent it getting sore."

Officers Club defented ball Club, Kowloon Tong and Recreio Sirdar was a beaten man when he also won. In the Third Division.

Silver Wedding. Mr N. Greenrecent years. He did not feel sure of himself in the opening set but as his by members of the Police Emergency Stonecutters, and Mrs Greenwood, himself in the opening set but as his by members of the Police Emergency Stonecutters, and Mrs Greenwood, drop-shots and hard drives were slowly Squad, and, while they squatted celebrated their Silver Wedding wearing down bits are slowly linder the versudals and the Police Emergency Stonecutters, and Mrs Greenwood, by members of the Police Emergency Stonecutters, and Mrs Greenwood, drop-shots and hard drives were slowly linder the versudals are the Police Emergency Stonecutters, and Mrs Greenwood, and the Police Emergency Stonecutters, and Mrs Greenwood, and the Police Emergency Stonecutters, and Mrs Greenwood, and the Police Emergency Stonecutters, and Mrs Greenwood, are drop-shots and hard drives were slowly linder the versudals and the Police Emergency Stonecutters, and Mrs Greenwood, and the Police Emergency Stonecutters, and Mrs Greenwood, are drop-shots and hard drives were slowly linder the versudals are the Police Emergency Stonecutters, and Mrs Greenwood, are drop-shots and hard drives were slowly linder the versudals are the police Emergency Stonecutters, and Mrs Greenwood, and the police Emergency Stonecutters, and Mrs Greenwood, are drop-shots and hard drives were slowly linder the versudals are drop-shots and the police Emergency Stonecutters are drop-shots are drop-shots are drop-shots are drop-shots are drop-shots and the police Emergency Stonecutters are drop-shots are drop

.They were married at Port Glasthinty that the return would be a weak who declined to give a statement to gow, Scotland, Mrs Greenwood beone to be killed. Tsui revealed some the Press afterwards, saying that he ing Miss Crayk. She was born near
of his most deadly form in the third had no authority to do so.

the Queen's home at Glamis Castles



Miss Gloria Joyce Yee, daughter of Mr and Mrs David Yee of Australia, became the bride of Mr Herbert Otto Kees last week. Mrs Kees is popular and well known in the Colony. She has won the Hongkon ballroom dancing amateur championship and for a long time has appeared at Miss O'Heele's dancing displays.

white it is the meaning and the same and the same with amount appropriated this year le letted to be between \$30,000 and

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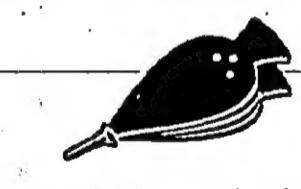
B10673	I'll never smile again—f.t. The rumbs jumps—swing rumbsGlenn Miller & his orch.
B10541	Ma-f.t. Row row row-f.t,
B10999	Carnival of Venice—f.tLarry Clinton & his oren.
B10039	Dreamy Moana nights-walts Charles Rama or ins Islanders
B10054	Softly as in the morning sunrise—f.t. Copenhagen—f.t
B10001	Jungle drums—f.t. It had to be you—f.t
B10319	All I remember is you—f.t. Octoroon—f.t
B10385	Serenade to a savage—f.t. Trafile jam—f.t
B11079	It's always you—f.t. Ida! sweet as apple elder—f.t Glenn Miller & his orch.
B11081	The captain and his men—f.t. Birmingham breakdown—f.t Charlie Barnet & his orch.
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#### A POISONED GENERATION

follow the war than about win- was heading rapidly towards adopted them as pets and been given an eighteen-mile ning the war, should consider Paris. more seriously than they do the character of the Germany that | untrustworthy character and more determined than any preceeding generation to assert the fantastic claims of German nations.

people, and especially to German youth, as a deity. If he himself believes that, he is a man of disordered brain. If he does not, he is a blasphemous scoundrel. But whatever he be or is believed to be, the effect is the same upon the youth of Germany. For years their only mental and moral food has been that dished up by teachers who are sworn to teach nothing but Hitler and him glorified. What can be expected of children instructed by teachers who are bound by this oath?

"Adolf Hitler, we swear that. we will train the youth of Germany that they grow up in your ideology, for your aims and purposes, in the direction set by. your will. This is pledged to you by the whole German system last." of education, from the primary school through to the univer- wonder. We seem to have both

elapse before a system of education can justly be judged. That is, one must wait to see what. manner of man that system has produced in a people who are free to think as they will. Under the land was attacked, how we pored There seem to have been so Is this a disgraceful confession? I do not know how to promise and had never heard of production a type of human production and had never heard of the average intellibration in production in production in the than the younger generation. But now I could not.

The North Hammersman Labour Party says that Mr Pritt "now remains the production of the production of the production of the production and the p being is turned out which is developed only on one side, without any corrective or restraint to a pursuit which can bring nothing but conflict and misery to the world

G. E. LEY SMITH

On The Somme

When Hitler started his blitzkrieg, the gigantic wheeling movement of his armies through Holland, Belgium and Luxembourg pivoted on the position held by the 51st Division at the north end of the Maginot Line proper.

In the midst of the fight feared by the Nazis. The awesome reputation of the kilted ing around. Remeling the hearts by the men who fought so brilliantly and gallantly at Gordons were unaware that St Valery last year. the Nazis had been sweeping across the Low Countries.

Only when they had left against metal. the "Maginot" and had as-Metzervisse with other units of the 51st Division did they receive an inkling of the desperate situation that had arisen.

By this time, the Nazi divisions "Panzer" Ardennes and broken the their poultry. The chance small party had evidently screening fire. French line at Sedan.

sion, the battalion was every man had duck or chic-poral Shepherd was killed by noitre the ground. They rushed to the vicinity of ken and fresh milk and one of the shells, which fell reported that machine-guns Varennes, north-west of eggs for supper that night. close to him. Undaunted by were posted on the fringe of Verdun. It was intended Stores were replenished the fate of their N.C.O., the the wood. that they should be used to with chickens and eggs three men charged towards, Waiting for their first stop the German break-which lasted for several the haystack. Before they big-scale attack, the men of through at Montmedy. days. could reach it, however, the "B" and "C" Companies lay

changed. The Division was little humanitarian service behind them. which the members of the ordered to another front.

During the last days of even in the midst of the May, when other Gordon heaviest fighting. Many battalions were fighting animals, such as rabbits in from Aubevine, in battalions were fighting animals, such as rabbits in the village of Cahou. around Dunkirk before em-hutches and dogs chained to barking the Highland Divi-kennels were starving. The sion was moving across soldier released them. THOSE well-meaning persons France to the Somme to As the dogs hovered French to drive the Germans who seem to be more anxious stem the advance of the around the camp looking for back had had little success. about the kind of peace that will German spearhead which scraps of food, the men Now the 51st Division had gave them what tasty mor-front on the river, from

sels they had over from Erondelle to the sea. their feast of fowl. Un- As a German offensive By a tediously long railwill have to be dealt with when way journey the battalion mitted to the strength, and minent, an attack was deofficially, the dogs were ad- across the Somme was imthe war is over. The people of reached its destination in when the march was re-cided upon for the morning the Kaiser's Reich were difficult two-and-a-half days, travel-sumed next morning the of June 4. The Gordons ling by Verdun round the battalion was followed by were given the task of clear-the history of the theatre since Cromwell." was how Mr John scores of dogs. engagement. The present gen-eration will be of an even more northwards by Rouen to Neuve Chatelle. the Grand Bois de Cambron beyond. The weather had broken the battalion relieved the

In torrential rain, the of Black Watch and settled ficers and men bivouacked in down to a meal of chicken ty of this operation, a demonstrated mons, enables a licensing authorthey could under the trees. and egg. superiority over all races and From there, they marched

Every time they camped it of the meal. They were be-impossible to see more than with the exception of plays prorained continuously. Buting sniped from a machine- a dozen feet ahead. the men never groused at the gun post which the Germans German machine-gun on Sundays for 160 years, since the discomfort. a haystack nearby. It was outskirts. Inside the wood

I agreed. Then I began to

nearly as readily.

village. The civilian popula- Corporal Shepherd was Tommy guns had been in a sime when it is in need of all the tion had left behind them sent forward with three men stalled in almost every bush Mr Gielgud said that the new

COMEONE remarked to me the Then came Norway, and for the Italian advance and rolled it Some of the child of to-day is that all-important railway. No, is to the fore, and I fancy that learning! Even a week or two of I am not going to name them most of us are more confident Mr Albery added.

news bulletins and papers should for you. Do it yourself-if you about the whereabouts teach him more than we ever can! Somehow we seemed to Benghazi and Tobruk—even of new regulation, as it provides for a knew. This generation should know a little more about France Derna and Bardia. But can we the day on which most people have be better informed than the and Holland and Belgium, so go further back than that with- the leisure for entertainment, perhaps their names stick better, out stopping to think?

each country came into the lime- But could you put your finger friend who said scornfully, "But light, its names became as fami-unerringly on, for instance, St do you need those to make you liar as our own. But if we Valery? learnt readily, we have forgotten

By

Geography Up To Date

adults are any more ignorant drawn those maps from memory. to resign his seat will not do so. Do you remember, when Pothan the younger generation, But now I could not, offhand and could you place them:

accurately on the map? Finland Evon the names which were round the sun? So why should which was inspired by the Communist meant a lot, too. But now Hel- so prominent in the first Greek I waste energy trying to remem- Party and which lies under the grave sinkl is the only name that leaps advance are forgotten as they ber the exact whereabouts of suspicion of seeking to exploit warto my mind, and we had all advance yet farther. What was Hamm? The R.A.F. know just time discomferts of the people for the heard of it before the Russo the first important place they where it is, and that is the main Mr Pritt, in a statement said he had Finnish war. captured when they stemmed thing!

going on all along the

It is shocking how quickly we

forget. The other day I came across a bundle of old maps, cut It is said that forty years must since September of 1939. As M. Forrest Mill out of papers at the time, and how strange they looked! Yet I remember half agreeing with a remember where the places

as the fact that the earth moves the so-called 'People's Convention,'

and covered all the paths through the wood, which is about three-quarters of a

mile deep. .. On one side of the wood, to the left of the Gordons was a clump of trees, which was believed to be free of the enemy.

Round the wood, the undulating countryside was covered with long corn and hedgerows, proving admir-Of all the units in the British Army, the 51st is the most able cover while the battalion waited for zero hour.

Two companies, "B" and "C," were to make the at-The epic part played by the Gordon Highlanders in the tack, with "D" Company Battle of France is told here in the living impressions of the following through to allow men who suffered and survived in that sombre drama of men "B" to move out to the left

This instalment tells how the Gordons' were moved from of the wood when the objecsembled in a big wood near the Maginot Line to the Estuary of the Somme to stem the tide tives had been taken. "A"

Motroweiere with other write of retreat in June, 1940.

Company was to remain in Company was to remain in. reserve.

Zero Hour Strikes On the right of the Gordons, the Black Watch were also to attack, but the Seaforths on the left were ordered to maintain their driven their way through the hundreds of cows and all to silence the gun. The positions and keep up a

of a rich feast was not been seen advancing to the In a light rain which fell allowed to slip. Foraging attack, and a German trench on the night of June 3 With the Highland Divi-parties were organised and mortar opened fire. Cor-patrols went out to recon-

Before they left the vil-German gunners bolted, among the long corn and betion had started. Plans were lage, the men performed a leaving their machine-gun hind hedges slightly to the On June 2 the Gordons rumbled in the distance. were moved into position at Machine - guns occasionally B.E.F. never forgot to do were moved into posicion as stuttered. A ground mist about twelve kilometres was lifting just before the from Abbeville, in front of first light of dawn started to penetrate the edge of the. Fierce fighting had been

TO-MORROW:

Germans Routed At Bayonet Point

## SUNDAY THEATRE HAILED

ing le Grand Bois and ad-Gielgud, the actor, described the In the neighbourhood of vancing to another wood decision to allow Sunday opening of theatres in Britain.

scription of the Grand Bois ity to permit Sunday opening of is necessary. It is a wood of theatres and music halls in dissixty miles in three nights. But the whine of bullets unusual density. So thick is tricts where there are troops or Hitler is held up to the German By day they slept in woods, interrupted their enjoyment the undergrowth that it is a large number of munition

> duced by special societies there had cunningly concealed in posts had been dug on the Sunday Observance Act of 1781.

### On Equal Footing

becoming so troublesome the German infantry had The new regulation puts the One night they reached a that it had to be tackled im-strongly established them- theatre on a footing with the films small, completely deserted mediately. selves. Storm-troopers with and other forms of entertainment at

decision would enable managements to embark with assurance on new productions, giving employment to

Mr Bronson Albery, who controls the New Theatre, Wyndham's and the Criterion, said he had no doubt that Sunday opening was now a foregone conclusion in the . West End and the suburbs. "Generally speaking, I should say

that most theatres will decide to close on Mondhys, but possibly in some cases Fridays will be fixed,"

Actors and actresses welcome the

## Pritt Not To

M.P. for North Hammersmith, And I do not believe that we At the time I felt I could have asked by the local Labour Party

Resign Labour Party Views Mr D. N. Pritt, K.C., Labour

Two soldiers mounting a Bren gun post were talking to a girl at a window of a house overlooking the post. Suddenly two shots were fired, and the girl fell. She dled soon afterwards.

At Aldershot Police-court Charles Thomas Christie, 21, a Canadian, was charged with murdering Margaret Catherine Wheaton, 27, a servant, of Gunnislake, Cornwall.

Mr. E. G. Robey, prosecuting, said Christle admitted firing the shots. Private William Alfred Ruther-ford, who was on duty at the gun post before Christie took over, said he left the safety catch of the gun at the automatic control position.

Manulaughter Major Forbes Benson West said Christie had received instruction in the use of a Bren gun, but had only mounted one about two days before the incident.

The Bench found there was no case to answer on a charge of murder, but Christie was committed to Hampshire Assizes on a manslaughter

# BUREAU

The Homeless Bureau in Bayley Street, off Bedford Square, London, which started in October with ten addresses, has now collected nearly 100,000.

away as Canada to inquire about private house. And the man relatives. A rancher who read who opens the door hands him a of heavy bombing in the district mask which he has to wear duwhere his mother used to live, ring the whole of his stay. sought news about her. He got a reply by return, giving her evacuated address in Devon.

The quick reply was made possible by the system of centralisation. As soon as evacuees arrive in a reception area from counties in the South-East, the local authority sends the new address at once to the Homeless Bureau.

The Bureau was started by the London Council for Social Service.

## COLONEL IN NAZI PRISON

Sixty - five - year - old Colonel Cecil Shaw, a retired officer, who out of their troubles, is now in test mission. And he now has these were directed to leave. trouble himself.

-now a German prison hospital ing a point from which to begin spy-In the Piete Hospital in Paris -he is suffering from bronchitis him of helping a British officer to escape to the south.

He shares a room with a German prisoner. His. American wife was arrested on

the same charge, but she has been released and is allowed to see her husband once a week.

bassy for many months, escaped the personal expenditure. If you have 45 minutes for lunch,

## Radio Talks To German Women

German women refugees in Britain appealed recently for more propaganda broadcasts in German on lines which would appeal to educated women in Germany.

- They said they had proof that British broadcasts to their country defeated Nazi propaganda, for 1941 include the construcand they asked specially that tion of 100 gliders, a series of should broadcast.

The requests were made at a meet- Kunming, Kwellin and Lanchow, ing in London of the International Women's Service Groups in Great publication of a magazine on Britain, addressed by Miss Elise gliding and translation of books members of the House of Com- London. ment of propaganda broadcasting Chinese. since the war began.

Freedom Of Life Refugee speakers asked for Ger-

give a weekly survey of Parliamen- and first officially sponsored demon- cusses the future of Parliament. tary events including the contribu- stration. Manned by veteran gilder tions made by women M.P.s; appeal pilots who have been experimenting to women in. Sudetenland; inter- with sailplanes and other advanced sperse a line of propaganda here and motorless craft for several years, two kitchen front. One speaker argued that educated

German women were against Nazism and that their influence was tremendous.

#### CONSTABLE KEPT FINES MONEY

warrant officer of Bromley (Kent) Portugal, and escaped across the revival of party conflict. police court, was sentenced to three border into Spain. months' imprisonment at that court which it was his duty to collect

## RESCUED AFTER NIGHT ORDEAL -

Brian Fenton, firewatcher of a Liverpool building, being rescued after spending 12, hours in the ruins of a bombed building. His rescuers tunnelled for many hours to



## LONDON'S NAZI SPY SCHOOL BELGIUM HOMELESS MOVED

Information reaching London' suggests that the Nazi school for spies which, when war began, was at Wiesbaden, is now in Belgium says the "Sunday Express." It is a school with a most rigorous short-term curriculum. He who decides to spy for Hitler must have a "past" that will stand up to examination by the Gestapo; then he is assigned lodgings, given a number and spending money.

Each morning he goes to the People are writing from as far school. That is, he reports at a way as Canada to inquire about private house. And the man latives A ranches who read who energe the door hands him a Secret Inks

Mask-wearing is a precaution designed to prevent the future spies identifying, and perhaps betraying,

The spy-student listens to lectures on naval and military subjects, does tests with secret inks, studies charts, memorises pictures of uniforms and

Then he is taught the technique and tricks of communicating information by radio and other means. At the end of each day's lessons the students leave the school at

three-minute intervals, and must not day's work, but the Gestapo school in a saloon car. staff continue to be busy.

Eye On Girl Friends cover whether they are attracted by public seats. how they talk to other people.

rules impressed upon his mind;-Do not hurry, when approach-

in any of it.

tenance and leisurely manner. (4) Conceal what linguistic gifts convicted. you have, to encourage others to talk

more freely. 10-Gun Lunches

(5) Record your findings in general round-up of British citizens. seen ten guns make a note of lunch costing you ten marks.

(6) Don't burn papers and leave ashes about, for microscopes can do great deal with paper ash. (7) Exercise great care about your

personal belongings, so that a mislaid article does not incriminate you. (8) Don't let drink befuddle your

## Chinese To Encourage Gliding

The China Glider Club's plans more German women speakers demonstration-flights, establishment of branch clubs in Chengtu,

drive in the near future." On the Chungking commercial airman talks which would illustrate the field recently, a large crowd gathered freedom of life for women in Britain; to watch the inauguration ceremony figures in an editorial which dis-

interested crowd.

## In Portugal

P.C. Albert Childs (36), assistant after landing recently near, Moura, desirable, but without an immediate The stores consist wholly of millions against luxury articles.

recently for embezzling 241 -fines to get away during a scarch made organismenot a tame olique as in the last December when the Govern. They predict a return to the shingle by Portuguese authorities.

## Of Treachery Charge Mrs Dorothy Pamela O'Grady was recently brought to the

Criminal Appeal Court in London under sentence of death for treachery and left, five hours later, sentenced instead to 14 years' servitude for offences under the Official Secrets Act.

Her appeal was heard in camera. Only one man, apart from judges, counsel and officials, knew what passed behind the court's locked doors. He was Mrs O'Grady's greyhaired husband, Mr

Vincent Henry O'Grady. Mrs O'Grady, short, dark woman, 42 years of age, was taken loller. It may be the end of their to court from Holloway Prison

She seemed unperturbed as she entered the brass-railed dock. She They watch the students move- glanced first at the three judges, then ments during their leisure to dis- at her husband sitting alone in the

women, how much they drink, and Mr.J. G. Trapnell, for the Crown, asked that the appeal should be After eight to ten weeks of inten- heard in camera, saying that it might sive study and examinations the be necessary to go into certain facts.

### Court's Decision

The Lord Chief Justice then said: (2) Collect every bit of available "The two convictions on the capital and awaiting trial. They accuse information without showing interest charges under the Treachery Act have been quashed, and sentence has (3) Maintain an impassive coun- been passed by the court on the other charges on which the appellant was

"We have passed sentence of 14 years' penal servitude on those

Counsels' arguments on the appeal fictitious terms; figures you have to had gone on through the morning and British relief from the American Em- report are best recorded as items of the afternoon with only a break of

The two charges under the Treachery Act, of which Mrs. O'Grady was found guilty after a scret trial at Hampshire Assizes, alleged that she made a plan in the Isle of Wight likely to give assistance to the enemy's military operators and that, with intent to help the enemy, she cut a military telephone wire.

Under the Official Secrets Act she was found guilty of approaching a prohibited place and of making a plan which might have been useful to an enemy.

Another charge concerned the possession of a document containing information purporting to relate to defence measures.

## M.P.s Are Not So Young

What "The Times". Found

The club will begin a membership the largest age group is between barrel of beer by public house re-50 and 60.

"The Times" mentions these Warning against false deductions-

"The Times" points out that Mr Churchili himself is 68. Moreover, the average age of Comthere in a musical programme; and monoplane sallplanes with enclosed moners who represent the comparatell what was being done on the cockpits flew noiselessly over the tively new Communist and Independent Labour Parties exceeds 55.

### New Blood Desirable

moners is largely due to the fact that the present Parliament was elected

man bomber set fire to their machine blood in Parliament would be there by order of the Government.

totalitarian States," it says, ment banned sales of silk stockings, or page boy bob.

## WAVELL FAMILY -Everyone Now In The War

The whole Wavell family is in programme.

Gen. Archie himself conferred with chiefs of his staff, and that is all there is for publication. Lady Wavell, his wife, attended meetings to-provide-comforts for-the-

wounded now coming in. Son Archie is serving in his father's regiment, the Black Watch. Daughter Pamela did her normal spell of duty

Felicity and . Joan, the younger daughters; went to their work as sccretaries at G.H.Q. Benefit to Troops

Most of Lady Wavell's time, apart from running their big, flowergardened house is taken up with troops' welfare. For social life she was one of the signatories of an runs Sunday afternoon parties and goes to dances (provided the dancer have some object of benefit to the

Pamela and Felicity use their spare time learning to fly.

## Life Of Penn On Film

William Penn, the great Quaker, is the subject of the lutest film biography, "Penn of Pennsylvania.

The picture is being made by British National at Elstree with Clifford Evans as Penn and Deborah Kerr as his romantic first love.

The whole thing is linked up by over the radio. Then the picture NEARLY 25 per cent. of the goes back to seventeenth-century

diarist Pepys, is William Penn, the an attack."

## Silk Stockings Guarded

Keep out notices have been plastered outside a number of Leicester warehouses. The build-The high average age of Com- lings have been surrounded by high boardings and the doors

and millions of pairs of silk stockings.

## Vitamins Aid Studies

Children Brighten Up Special vitamin foods are improving child students' arithmetic and spelling, says the Ipswich (East England) Medical Officer

(Dr J. H. Hunter). "In Ipswich schools, youngsters who cannot spell or do sums well are given sandwiches filled with dates, grated chocolate, raisins, kippered herrings and tomato, or sardines," Dr Hunter says.

The idea is that the sandwiches must contain vitamins A, B, C, and D in right proportions and proteins.
"We have found that children given these things brighten up remarkably."

Health authorities and educationists have been working hard since the war began to improve the general health of school children with vitamin foods.

The evacuation of children from London slums and industrial areas into the country has helped these experiments.

## Parcels For **Prisoners**

Captain Margesson, War Minister, stated, in the House of Commons recently, that during the months July, 1940, to January, 1941, inclusive, 714,802 food parcels and 29,400 clothing parcels for prisoners of war

were handed over to the G.P.O. During the same period 151,711 food parcels and 1,122 clothing parcels had been forwarded from Geneva to the camps in Germany...

As regards the balance on such information as was available he could give the following figures: Dispatched fom Basle to camps in Germany to October 4, 1940-85,000. Lost through enemy action-16,-

At Marseilles-58,000. En route Lisbon to Marseilles-

En route United Kingdom to Marscilles-27,000. At Lisbon-174,000.

En route United Kingdom to Lis-

## A.A. Surprise For Hitler

Paul Tierney, war editor of the "New York Post," who 'recently returned from England, writes that he learned from a reliable source that one of many surprises the British are holding back for Hitler is a terrific antiaircraft defence barrage.

It consists of enormous groupings of guns, which have not yet been fired, because the British do not wish to betray their location. "If Hitler carries out his boast to has helped hundreds of Britons student is entrusted with his first The court agreed, and the public this war. Here is one day's fill the air with warplanes, his losses will be terrific," writes Tierney. "I also learned that aerial photography has shown that the invasion

ports nearest to Britain are now virtually useless to Germany, as a result of incessant poundings by the

## All-India Party

The Madras paper, Hindu," understands that Mr Vernon Bartlett, M.P. the famous British journalist, who appeal last December to Indian leaders for full support of the war effort, is forming an all-India Party in the House of Commons.

The party will take a progressive interest in the affairs of India. The appeal referred to was addressed to the people of India "from friends in the British House of Commons." It asked for a spirit of cooperation in bringing to an end the present deadlock in India, which the writers were convinced was largely the result of a misunderstanding.

## Rome Not Yet Bombed—But

Sir Archibald Sinclair, the Air producer Richard Vernon with Pre- Minister, informed Mr R. Sorensident Roosevelt's inaugural address sen (Lab., West Leyton) at question time in the House of Commons recently, that Rome There, at the beginning, we are had not at any time been at-Sprott, of the B.B.C., on the develop- and articles on the subject into mons are over 60. Only one to see a Quaker, member of a per- tacked by the R.A.F. But there half per cent. are under 30, and secuted new sect, being ducked in a were objectives of military imvellers. In a room above, with the portance that would justify such Mr Sorensen then asked if the

close proximity of the Vatican City to Rome had any bearing on the avoldance of such an attack. Sir Archibald Sinclair: I cannot be expected to discuss this question in the House.

## War May Recall Boyish Bob

Thousands of women in Britain who depend on the skill of chemists Six members of the crew of a Gernan bomber set fire to their machine blood in Parliament would be there by order of the Government. Government's restrictive orders

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Badmintoh Season

MONDAY

## After-thoughts Of

## New Scoring System' Suggested For League

Summer Plans For Improvement

(By' ("Tinker")

THE TUMULT and the shouting having died, badminton players reflect back pridefully on another successful season having concluded. There is no doubt about this. Attendance at the Championships, which in any sport is the criterion, shows a new record in numbers as was mentioned by the President of the Association, Mr S. A. Gray, at the recent prize distribution.

Greatest contributory factor to this, outside the attraction of the game itself, has been the efforts of the Hon. Secretary, Mr M. Talan. The organisation of the League and the Championships has worked without a hitch. The Press may have done its bit, but in dealing with an official of Mr Talan's character, it is always a pleasure to oblige.

a standard never before seen here. The nucleus of stars from the Uni-Choy, P. K. Hool H. F. Chew, has been made for scoring: M. P. Yoong, K. B. Low and Miss Ullan Khoo-have mingled with local luminaries-P. H. Wong, C. Au, F. Koh, M. A. Oliveira, H. C. Eardley, Miss M. M. Silva, Miss M. A. Xavier, Miss M. Ribeiro, Mrs Torrible, Mrs Zimmern and Mrs O. Silva—to create a spectacular whole.

The University have taken every senior title, and not surprisingly they easily won the Senior Divisional championship. The greater interest, perhaps, was wrapped up in the Second Division. Here St John's took the absolute championship when they beat Chung Hwa in the playoff-they, being the winners of the "B" and "A" Sections, respectively.

#### St John's Strength

**PUT** there's a story behind St D John's victory, and it is one which, I think, makes more acceptable a new system of scoring that has been suggested.

the recently concluded season. But winning team of 1940 H. C. Eardley minton social evenings. most probably would not be available owing to his Naval duties, while

games they would be promoted to the the senior tournament. First Division.

able to turn out for them in most encouragement. of their matches, and they, consequently, were carried through on the

Their third pair was very weak. sional Championship on their own.

### New Scoring System

A pairs are worthy of the First Divi- | year.

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As regards the Championships, the sion, and there is no doubt that next Colony has been afforded matches of year St John's will be in that Divislon. But to prevent a similar state versity of Hongkong-K. W. of affairs, the following suggestion

That the result of a match be decided upon the total number of points obtained by each

The strength of any team then would be like that of a chain—that of its weakest link, and if the weakest are unable to collect, say, double figures in points each match, it is not likely that against a better · balanced side the stronger players will be able to make up the difference. The more-balanced side. therefore, would have a more even chance of winning.

### Summer Suggestions

**TUNIORS** are the mainstay of any game, and in badminton is hoped that further en-St John's were slated to be pro- couragement will be given to moted into the Senior Division for these players. For the summer at the annual meeting of the Associa- months, the suggestion is made loon Cricket Club when the tion they pointed out that of the to all Clubs to hold monthly bad-

Frank Kwok had gone over to Kow- Doubles championship this year, there Division were any teams able to loon Tong. They asked, therefore might have been an increase in the to be allowed to remain in the Junior | Senior Doubles to ten pairs, but what have happened to the remaining 14 It was decided by vote at that pairs that did take part in the junior meeting to allow St John's to remain competition? They would have been in the Junior Division for five games without games, for I doubt if they -and should they win those five would have had the courage to enter

They won four and lost one play- Admittedly, some of the junior ing against some of the weaker players were weak, but their very · teams of the Section. The vote at appearance on the court is encouragethe subsequent meeting of the As- ment to others to enter. This year, C.S.C.C. (61) sociation was in favour of St John's the Colony has been very fortunate remaining in the Junior Division. in that there are so many new K.B.G.C. (52) As it turned out, Eardley, without players here, but there are a far K. Docks (35) making any special efforts, was greater number of juniors who need I.R.C. (68)

These social evenings, at which the efforts of their two top pairs only! courts would be thrown open to all K.F.C. (64) badminton players, would do much C.C.C. (67) Thus there is the position of two towards enticing more of these Recreio (64) strong pairs being able to win a Divi- younger players on to the court, and once the start is made, it will be all for the greater good of Badminton ir, Hongkong, for it would inevitably lead to a greater number of entries THERE is no doubt that these two for the Junior competitions next C.C.C. (56)

Officials and winners of the Hongkong Badminton Championships.

Standing: Messrs Jack Shepherd, W. C. Choy, A. L. Fisher, HongkongC.C. P. Wynter-Blyth, P. H. Wong, D. Kwok, D. Hazel, S. A. Gray (President), M. Talan (Hon. Secretary).

Seated: Miss U. Khoo, Mr H. F. Chew, Mr P. K. Hooi, Mrs Mixed Doubles Zimmern, Mrs Torrible, Mrs Castro, Mr. K. W. Choy, Mr K. B. Low. Mr C. J. Tacchi.

## BOWLS LEAGUE OFFICIAL OPENING

## Recreio Beat Craigengower By Narrow Margin Of One Shot

THE LAWN BOWLS LEAGUE made its official opening and Miss J. Smalley (-3.0) (Stand Court). on Saturday with a full programme of matches, outstanding feature of which was the defeat of Craigengower, rivals of old, by the Club de Recreio by one shot. Coincidentally, the Valley Sewell (-4.0) v. T. J. Gould (15.2) Second team lost by the same margin to the Prison Officers, newly promoted from the Third Division.

Yesterday a most enjoyable match was played at the Kow-Volunteers Sergeants' Mess beat the home side by eight shots.

The new system of scoring came Had it not been for the Junior into operation, but only in the Third collect two points. These were the Hongkong F.C. who lost on two rinks to the Kowloon F.C., though the third rink was able to collect a winning margin for the match, and the Club de Recreio who only beat the Hongkong C.C. on one rink but managed to win the match.

Scores in brief were FIRST DIVISION

314 Kowloon C.C. C.C.C. (51) 1 Recreio "B" (69) 4 K.B.G.C. "A" Police (56)

SECOND DIVISION H.K.F.C. (49) P.O.C. (68) 145 K. Tong (60) 4 H.K.C.C. (53)

THIRD DIVISION

3 K.F.C. (54) 4% I.R.C. (63) Recrelo (60) K.B.Q.C. (60) Only one seven was scored, and that by R. Duncan (K.B.G.C.) against Recrelo "B" in the First Division.

## SPORTS ADVT.

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The price of Admission to the to 2. Public Enclosure is \$1,00 including Other odds earlier were: Whirlaway son. He was originally an eccentric Tax, for all Person, including Ladies, 5/1; Dispose 8/1; Robert Morris 10/1; dancer, but in the hands of Louis K. Blue Pair 15/1; Little Beans 20/1; Sidney, to whom he owed his career, and Sallors in Uniform are admitted Marketwise 25/1.

Hongkong, 5th May, 1941.

## **Volunteer Sgts** Beat Kowloon C. C.

THE Volunteer Sgts-Kowloon C.C. match was five rinks a side. The home team scored on two, losing on the other three, and the in the Sergeants' favour. Totals Rumjahn (holders) v. Tsul Wal-pul and were Sgts 96, K.C.C. 88. Scores were:

R. S. Capell, E. C. Curtis, A. J. Kew and J. Fraser (K.C.C.) lost to C.Q.M.S. Casey, Sgt Muskett, Sgt Carr and Sgt

A. E. Perry, R. T. Burch, F. Goodwin and E. C. Fincher beat Sgt Fowles, Sgt Geale, Sgt Zimmern and Sgt Meyer,

T. R. Hunter, C. W. Jeffries, N. A. E. Mackay and R. S. Meadows lost to C. S. M. Baskett, P/M Mackle, 5gt Steven and B. S. M. Walker, 16-21.
G. Bowden, H. Langley, A. W. Smith and V. C. Labrum lost to S.Q.M.S. Tribble, C.Q.M.S. Leigh, Sgt Lockhart and Sgt Rakusen, 18-22.

A. E. P. Guest, A. H. Martin, W. W. Parsons and T. A. Madar beat Sgt Baptista, Sgt J. D. Remedios, Sgt J. C. Remedios and C.Q.M.S. Silva 19-13.

## **Favourités** Fail In Kentucky Derby

## Whirlaway Sets Record

Kentucky Derby to-day by eight Capell; Runner-up, R. Kloss.

lengths in the record time of two D. J. N. Anderson and Frank Grose; Runminutes one and two-fifths seconds, ners-up, E. C. Fincher and G. C. Burnett. which broke the previous best time established in 1931 by two-fifths of a second.

Ridden by the veteran jockey, Eddle Arcaro, who rode Lawrin to his Derby Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and triumph in 1938, Whirlaway was held \$3.00 for Ladies (both including far back until the final turn, when he outsprinted the field.

Starctor was second and Marketwise Exchange Building, (Tel. 27794) will had been forecast.

### Fast Track

Porter's Cap, owned by Mr C. S. Howard and the West's hope for the first Californian Derby winner, and Our Boots, which was last year's juvenile champion, were the outstanding choices from spinal fever. at odds respectively of 2 to 1 and 5

re admitted Marketwise 25/1.

Porter's Cap, which finished fourth in the race, had won the \$50,000 Banta Anita Handicap and holds the fastest work-out time for the mile and quarter.

ROWN.

Secretary. The winner of the race gets about went to England and formed his own

## Final To-day Open Finals On

The finals of the Colony Singles and Doubles Championship, the Club Championship and Club Handleap events will take place this week on the Hongkong Cricket Club courts, weather permitting. The programme is as follows:

Wednesday And Friday

To-Day

To-Morrow

(Stand Court). Club Handicap Doubles, semi-final.— C. H. R. Oxiade and A. H. Barwell (-15.2) y. R. H. Blake and H. C. D. Knight (3.6)

#### Wednesday

Open Singles, final.—Tsui Wai-pui v. Tsui Yan-pui (Stand Court).

Club Handicap Doubles, final.—Oxiade and Harwell or Blake and Knight v. T. C. Monaghan and T. J. Gould (-15.2) (8).

Club Championship, final.—C. H. R. Oxlade v. M. Pagh (holder) (Stand Court).

Tsul Yan-pui (Stand Court).

## K.C.C. PRIZE DISTRIBUTION

### Impromptu Concert

DISTRIBUTION of prizes for the past season took place at the Kow-Ioon Cricket Club on Saturday night. Mrs E. C. Fincher, wife of the Club Captain, presented the winners with their awards.

A good gathering of members indulged in an impromptu concert prior to the prize distribution, and a very enjoyable evening was spent. The following was the prize list:

Lawn Bowls

Club Championship.—Winner, J. Fraser;
Runner-up, A. W. Ramsey.
Handleap Singles.—Winner, R. T. Broadbridge; Runner-up, J. Fraser.
Handleap Pairs.—Winners, F. Goodwin
and R. S. Meadow; Runners up, G. E. Taylor and J. Hempsey.

Roger Lindsell Cup.—Winner, E. Kern;
Rummer-up, F. Goodwin.

Tyro Competition.—Winner, R. T. Broad-bridge; Runner-up, W. W. Parsons.

Jack Hirst Shields.—J. Hempsey, A. H.

Martin, L. Jack and A. W. Ramsey (akip).

LOUISVILLE, Kentucky, May 3 (UP)—A crowd of 100,000, the largest ever to witness a horse race in North America, saw Mr War-ren Wright's Whiriaway win the Louisville Runner-up, E. C. Fincher. Junior Handicap Singles,—Winner, R. S. Junior, Handicap Singles,—Winner, R. S. C. Fincher.

Billiards and Bnooker

Senior Championahip,—Winner, J. H. S. Duncan; Runner-up, E. G. Curtis.
Junior Championahip,—Winner, A. E. Carey; Runner-up, A. H. Martin.
Bnooker,—Winner, J. R. Luke; Runner-up, A. H. Martin.

Batting, 1st XI.—E. F. Fincher, Bowling.
—D. J. N. Anderson.
"Batting, 2nd XI.—F. J. Lay. Bowling.—
R. Baldwin.

## Found Fame

Teddy Joyce, the dance band leader, who collapsed in Glasgow recently after performing with his It was stated that he was suffering

He was a Canadian, and his real name was Edmund John Cuthbert-

## Sappers Beat Canadians In First Baseball Game

## Forum Nose Out Canucks In Softball's Final "Hate"

THE ROYAL ENGINEERS opened their baseball season with a great victory over the Canadians at Caroline Hill on Saturday, clouting in five runs in the 1st and 3rd frames and holding the Canucks to three singles tallies in the 1st, 2nd and 6th.

Yesterday, Softball's final game—the annual classic between the Hongkong English Forum and the Canadian Chinese -resulted in a 3-2 win for the latter, the issue being decided in the last inning only.

Softball's Canadians belted in one in the 3rd and another in the 5th. The Forumers were held blank over these frames, and only in the sixth final innings did they moving. Two runs in the sixth and on passed balls-brought them a win climax the run-around. Abdullah of Trans-Jordan in honour annual fight.

Scores in brief were:

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	Runs 0 Hits 2	0	0	0	0	1	1=3 2=6
ı						7.7	

### JACK DOYLE: "I WAS SOLD LIKE A RACEHORSE"

### **Bankruptcy Examination**

JACK DOYLE, the boxer and singer, attending London Bankruptcy Court for his public examination, stated that his contract was so worded that if he opened a taxi door and received a .6d tip, 25 per cent. of it would have to be paid over.

Questioned about part of his manager's percentage of purses for fights being sold, Mr Doyle said: "I was

His liabilities amounted to £1,-689 and he had no assets. Mr Doyle stated that he had his mother dependent on him. "I gave her at least £8 a week," he explained. "I have supported her all my

Mr A. L. West, Senior Official Receiver: However nice it is to live in this way, do you realise it is wrong and unjustifiable?-My expenses are heavy everywhere I go. spend a lot each week.

Mr Doyle said he would pay over to his trustee what money he could for creditors. The examination was closed,

## Girls Match

AT STUBBS ROAD, on Saturday, Canton's Truelight College girls swamped Chung Hwa 11-2. proving that the schoolgiris are all set for the League next year.

Yvonne Poon clouted in a homer for Chung Hwa, and in reply Margie Woo and Lai Bik-wong connected for non-stop circuit trips. In the final imings of the game, then the winner in the seventh-all the College girls scored five to

## Poor Cash Sweep Prizes At Macao

MACAO, May 4.—Results of the cash sweeps in to-day's racing

First Race Unplaced ponies (\$25,20 each): Nos. 147.

Second Race

Unplaced pony (\$20.90): No. 594.

Unplaced pony (\$40.30): No. 314. Unplaced pony (\$40.90): No. 358.

Unplaced ponies (\$100.15 each): Nos. 04142, 01502, 23090, 08409, 10344, 08301, 09011. 22436, 15200, 20472, 21106,—Our Own Cdr-

## Home Cricket Makes a Start

Instead of the usual heralding with trumpets, the Cricket season made a modest beginning to-day, with several. minor matches.

The London Fire Service, taking a well-carned relaxation, again stole the limelight by opening the season at Lord's against Reading University, who won by seven wickets.-Reuter.

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cend to 2,000 feet before they could

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Gunner Griffiths was quite safe,

DEFICIENT DIET

WILL KILL MORE

THAN FIGHTING

PITTSBURGH, May 2 (UP).

-The present European food

blockade may claim a far greater

toll of life than actual fighting,

according to Dr Charles C. Hig-

Diet deficiencies, caused, by lack

of vitally essential foodstuffs, will be

according to the nutrition expert.

all dietary items were plentiful.

Dane Hit A Nazi,

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One Dane was sentenced to four

years for felling a German with an

empty whisky bottle.

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of 2,000 feet above the earth.

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## NANCY







HONGKONG TELEGRAPH



By Ernie Bushmiller

## Nazi Fraus And French Charmers

According to the Berlin correspondent of the "Chicago Daily News," the latest problem which faces the Nazi leaders is to convince the women of Germany that their husbands are not succumbing to the blandishments of the ladies of France.

An article in the current issue of the "Schwarzekorps" scolds irresponsible gossipers, and offers "relief and comfort, to hearts which are unnecessarily · tortured."

It says: "No. dear German women, there is nothing in the story of the warrior from the north who succumbs to the charms of the deceivingsiren and, like Tannhauser in the Venusberg mountain, forgets his own home in the process."

German wives, the article adds, "know, of course, that their men would not behave improperly, but the worm gnaws at their hearts, and next time their men come home and do not sleep because the coffee they bring with them is too strong, then it is the charming French women who have appeared to them in their

## No More Ice Cream In Italy

Ice-cream and pastry are to be barred in Italy, and the ration of oil, butter and pork is to be cut to 12 ounces per person monthly. half the previous allowance.

Rome Radio's comment was meant as a comfort to Italians for their loss.

"Letters of complaint have reached me-about-the-misuse-of-foodstuffs, especially of butter and fats' said the commentator. "Cannot we do without pastry? the letters ask. Certain pastry shops are the centres of attraction for the snobs of the feudal aristocracy and feudal interlectuals, and places where defeatist stories are spread. So say the letters. of General de Gaulle.

### Palates Hit

"I feel like answering: Just you wait a little my good people, and you will see that the Government will meet your demands. The logical consequences of the restrictive use of fats has come, and pastries and icecream are forbidden. The palates of some people will be hit and also their some people will be hit and also their

"Conversations between people who degenerates to satisfy their caprices.'

## Juan Ready For Throne Spain

Prince Juan, heir-designate to the non-existent Spanish Throne, has declared formally his readiness to return to Spain as King when the day of restoration comes, reports Associated Press from Rome, quoting Spanish royalist sources.

When the royalists met recently the Prince pledged himself to uphold the principles of his father, the late Alfonso XIII.

told the royalists the day of restoration "may not be far off."

### Sure Ways To Get Rid Of A Wife

(UP).—Dr A. L. Porterfield, who conducts a class on marriage and family life at Texas Christian Uniways to get rid of a wife: 1. Learn to flick elgarette ashes

on the floor with maximum damage to the rug.

Histy rozor blades - scattered on the bathroom floor. 3/4 Go Home Vinte for dinner least three times a week.



bombed by the Germans during their recent blitz on the city.

# Anti-Mussolini Party

A GROUP of Italians in the United States is now making what appears to be a serious effort to form a Free Italy body on the lines of the Free French organisation

This movement would have two objectives: 1. Establishment in the U.S. of an anti-Fascist Italian Government which would be headed by Count Carlo Sforza, formerly Foreign Minister in Italy, and who was Italian Ambassador to France when Mussolini came to power. Count Sforza is now lecturer at Virginia University.

## War manifest pessimism in all but in their appetites will be reduced. It has become impossible now for certain become impossible now for certain to Canada.

By PIERRE VILLERE

United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, May 2 (UP) .- A special emergency squad of 300 picked members of the New York police has been secretly trained in all phases of civilian protection against modern warfare, but what their new duties will be is a deep, dark secret.

men themselves are speculating radio operation and field broadcaston whether they might not be ing. sent away from the city.:

One belief was that the emerfenders, thus releasing able-bodied men for the British Army.

Six Weeks Training The men were trained for six weeks, and after their course was The Prince was reported to have completed, they were returned quietly to their normal posts. Every preenution was taken to prevent details of their training from becoming

Only men especially skilled in various trades and crafts were chosen. They were given a rigid physical examination, and sent for routine training to the School for the Soldier on Rundall's Island.

They were taught the methods found-most successful in London of versity, lists the following "sure" coping with emergencies due to building collapses, such as might be caused by bombings:

other buildings. They were taught Supply Good as these figures are first aid. They became expert in the Ministry thinks still more could methods of maintaining order and be done.

War experts have agreed that establishing police lines. They learneven if this country enters the cd to use and care for life nets. war, there is little likelihood on the handling and removal of that New York City will be bombs of all types. Every man on School for Social Research in New bombed. For that reason, the the squad is proficient in two-way York, one of the leading anti-Fascist

### Defence Speed-up.

These men were made sufficiently zency squad might train others familiar with all phases of this work here and then go to England to to enable them to serve as instrucstanding, and enforcing black-outs, such a movement.

The formation of the special emergency squad brought the police department into the city's master defence programme along with the health and fire departments. All other city departments and agencies are organising under a speed-up order which calls for them to be ready to take their places in the city's defence plan,

#### TANKS AND SHELLS FROM SALVAGE

Last year, over the whole Britain, sufficient scrap metal-250,- coiffure of his own creation. They learned the use of the 000 tons was salvaged to make ten to the rug.

Never have fewer than four roof from which a man can drop to 20,000,000 shells. These officer returned to headquarters Donations to Date: \$1,876.074.80 after the officer returned to headquarters of bald as an eig.

2. The creation of an officers' corps which would be sent to Taining Libya to organise a revolution-ary army among captured troops in preparation for invasion of

### Fought in Spain

Some of the group, which is at present attempting to start a Free Italy movement, hope it may be possible to get Randolpho Picciardi, who commanded the Garibaldi Brigade, which fought on the side of the Republican forces in Spain, to lead the projected officers' corps.

Professor Max Ascoli, of the New Italian-Americans in this city, was anxious to stress the fact! that the movement is so far in a preliminary

He would not say what the British reaction was, but in another quarter take up the places of civilian de- tors if necessary, teaching others it was said the British authorities the art of loading and unloading have indicated tentatively that they emergency trucks, dynamiting build- may be willing to give encourageings that would be hazardous if left ment and perhaps definite backing to

## Eccentric Barber's New Coiffure

ERIE, Pennsylvania, May 2 (UP). -The question of what constitutes a halreut was taken under legal adviscement here recently.

A certain eccentric barber, addicted to drinking while at work, ran his clippers across the top of a woof man customer's head from original

The customer complained to police

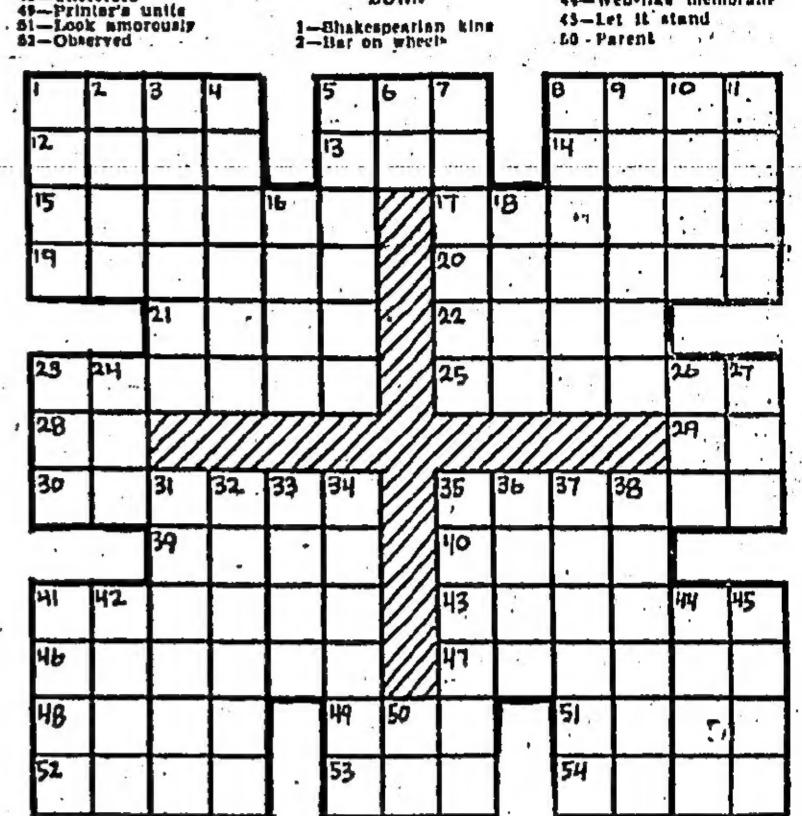
That barber had my hair off betore I could raise a finger," he said.

## Crossword Puzzle

5-Everyone 3-Dandles 13-Way out 13-Ses (Dutch) 14-District 15-Nearly 17-Pertaining to Spri 19—Nudge again
20—Wandering
21—On grand scale
22—Disturbance
23—Russian measures
of length
25—Drainpipes
28—King of Bashan 29-Exclamation 39-Made of sheep's Seece Seece JP-Annoy
40-Pertile soli
41-Blip by
43-Knocks over

51-Twenty-four hours

3-Billy smile 4-Bends down 5-Mexican Indians 5-French article 10-Mason's hammer 11-Bodium chloride 16-Bhort sleep 18-Large lake 23—Bweaf 24—Self 26—Abyseinian title 27—Novel by H. Rider 21—Fruit 33—Late English yachtaman 33-Otherwise Derlugest -- 4E 35-Loutlah 36-Aspira 37-City in Pennsylvani 38-Come out 41-Sheep 42-Knowledge 44-Web-like membrani 43-Let It stand 60 - Parent



## EMPEROR'S GIRL SOLDIER

Marches To Fight Italians

With the Emperor Haile Selassie's expeditionary force which has marched into Abyssinia is one woman. She is Miss Banichyzgu Kidani, a 23-year-old nurse, who was once condemned to death by the Italians.

She disguised herself as a boy to join the expedition.

Research after the Great War, according to Dr Higgins, "showed an "I appealed to the Emperor to increase in kidney stones due to diet allow me to accompany his It also showed that German troops as a hospital nurse," she children born during the war were said, "but he refused on the on an average shorter than children ground that the journey would who lived under circumstances where be too severe for a woman.

> "So I cut off my hair, disguised myself as a soldier, and marched, until one day the Emperor re-cognised me and, since it was too escape and, after many adventures,

Miss Kidani's father, a colonel in Addis Ababa 10 months ago. .

Put Amongst Lepers

Captured in the Abyssinian war, Miss Kidani was imprisoned in Addis Ababa by the Italians, who ordered her execution. With the aid of an American missionary, she got some medicine which made her so violently ill that the Italian authorities, believing her to be suffering from an infectious and fainl disease, put her in the Abyssinian leper colony.

A Copenhagen Court has sentenced late to send me back, allowed me to she reached a Sudanese outpost. In four Danes to long terms of im-

Returning to the Sudan, she the Emperor's army, was hanged by worked as a nurse until the Emthe Italians in the market-place at peror's arrival at Khartoum from

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Visit To Japan TOKYO, May 4 (Reuter).—Discarding suggestions that he should go to the United States, Mr Yosuko Matsuoka, the Japanese Foreign Minister, in an interview at Kyolo, asserted that it would be far more appropriate for President Roosevelt or Mr Cordell Hull to come to Tokyo to learn about the conditions existing

in the Orient, "I studied in America; I know Americans and I can grasp the real situation now existing in the United States; but I doubt whether President Roosevelt or Mr Hull can grasp the true situation in the Far East.

"I believe that Japanese-American problems could be more easily solves by President Roosevelt or Mr. Hull visiting Japan than by my going to the United States," he said.

## Hitler Playing The Same Old Tune

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without scruple in the interests

Referring to the attack on Yugo-Slavia and Greece, Hitler said that the operations were greatly facilitated by the sympathetic assistance of Hungary and the loyal attitude of Rumania, without which it would have been extremely difficult to

ion to send troops to Greece as "one of the famous strategical blunders of

-exclusive of men of German origin, Croats and Macedonians — 6,298 officers and more than 330,000 men; Greeks, 8,000 officers and 210,000

He declared that only two tank divisions, one Alpine division and

The German losses, Hitler announced, were 57 officers and 1,042 N.C.O.'s and men killed; 181 officers and 3,571 N.C.O.'s and men wounded; and 13 officers and 372 N.C.O.'s and men missing.

Hitler added that if Italy obtained territorial and political influence as a result of the Balkan campaign, "she has more than carned it by the

.The temporary reverses in Libya, of through Suez. Hitler said, were caused by In the last 18 months, Australia inferiority in tunks and anti-tank has greatly extended her shipbuild-

between the Greek people and "the lished at Whyalia, South Australia, ing the station. thin top layer of leaders and a to build ships of up to 12,000 tons. Imperial troop King who preferred to further The famous Cockatoo Island British policy."

German weapons and munitions, vessels simultaneously. Both Port here. Hitler declared, "We must maintain Adelaide and Williamstown, with the lead we now have. German experience of building ships in the

States, Hitler said, "If Democratic of shipbuilding is shown by the dispatch received here.

-agitators are counting on choking the orders to the value of £250,000 for It is reported that certain refineries.

National Socialist State with the force marine propelling engines and are to continue work for the benefit of their system and material produc- auxiliary machinery recently placed of Rashid Ali's troops. tion there can only be one answer- in Queensland. the German people will never again experience a year like 1918. The

future with perfect calm and the greatest confidence. Germany and her Allies represent a force superior time the first of them will be sent Palestine and Trans-Jordan also to any possible combination and the down the ways, year 1941 will be inscribed in history These ships for as the greatest year in the rise of our

nation. Hitler expresed thanks "to Al- addition, increasing month by month, British Ambassador, saw M. Saramightly God for allowing Germany to the growing expansion of Britain's joglu, the Turkish Foreign Minister. to achieve such successes with so own war-time fleet of merchantmen, to-day when doubtless following the little loss of life" and added, "We can only beg him not to forsake our

"In this Jewish capitalistic age,"

#### Meeting In Trans-Jordan Canada's Role CAIRO, May 4 (Reuter),-It is Canada has now more than understood that the developments in force of arms will never make us doubled the 4,000 skilled workers Iraq were given consideration at a yield, let alone break us. The Ger- employed before the war in her 40 that puts them 3-2 ahead in this man soldier will be given still better shipbuilding and repairing establish- luncheon given yesterday by Emirments. Contracts for 18 merchant of H.R.H. Emir Abdul Illah, ex-

It is expected that in about a year's leaders as well as Arab leaders from

attended the luncheon. These ships from the Empire, together with the reservoir of new tonnage in U.S.A., are an important Hugh Knatchbull - Hugessen, the

Deprived Of

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" VICHY, May, 4 (UP) -By a decree issued to-day, Marshal Petain has deprived Eve Curie, Henry Bernstein give him effective help, which is reand 27 others of their French citizenship, and confiscated their properties in the first application of the law empowering Marshal Petain to withdraw the nationality of French citizens abroad who by acts, speeches or writings seek to impede Petain's earlier in the face of strong German national revolution or pursue a policy liable to harm French nationals.

## Soviet Ships For

News).-Nine Soviet steamers will The statement alleged to have bombers. soon ship articles of dally necessity been made by the Baghdad radio that from Vladivostok to Shanghai, and a the Arabs are fighting in Palestine Soviet shipping company will also be may perhaps indicate coming Gerorganised to undertake shipping in man attempts to cause trouble there. the China Sea, including the transportation of rice and coal to Shanghai, says a Shanghal report.

to the "!Messaggeros!" from Damascus Price of rice, coal and other commodities in the port city are expected trated troops on the Iraq and Trans- ed symptoms similar to those of Jordania frontiers. shipping project is realised.

AMERICAN VICE-CONSUL-Mr John S. Service who is on the way to Chungking to take up an appointment there as American Vice-Consul, is in the Colony. He is remaining here for a short while. dings are announced:

Detective Sub-Inspector W. N. Darkin of the No. 2 Police Station, Wanchal district, is leaving the Colony this week on four months' leave to Sydney, Australia, where he will be joined by his wife who is at present ment, to Miss Agnes Mary Dains, and Mallowers with the Present Hospital



LEGION CHIEF ABROAD-Milo Warner, national commander of the American Legion, meets Wilfred the Duck, RAF mascot, and his canine friend, at an unnamed British air field. Mr · Warner was studying civilian defence.

## Hongkong's Big Part In Supplying Empire Ships

Hongkong's two big shipbuilding yards are working hand in hand with other shipbuilders in the Empire to supply cargo vessels for the merchant fleet.

Both the Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co., Ltd and the Taikoo Dockyard are building handy cargo carriers up to 5,000 tons. The former last year built not only the hull of a fast modern cargo boat, but also her main propelling engines, the largest marine power unit which has come out of this part of the world.

Half Of Iraqi Air

Force Destroyed

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at Habbaniyah, it was revealed here

violated by the Iraq forces surround-

That "sanctuary" was promptly

Imperial troops now in Iraq, despite

Oil Concession Ban

VICHY, May 4 (Reuter).-Rashid

Several former Iraq Ministers and

Turkey's Position

ANKARA, May 4 (Reuter).-Sir

usual practice, the Ambassador in-

formed M. Sarajoglu of all the latest

developments in the Iraqi situation.

iest understanding and sympathy with Britain's attitude and deplore

Rushid All's action which was in-

spired by the Axis. His appeal for

German help has actively lowered his

stock here because if the Axis could

garded as most unlikely, the result

will be further encirclement of Tur-

is expressed that Britain has allowed

matters to go so far and did not act

agitation in Arab states and in Iran.

East is believed to be Herr Franz von Papen himself, who is returning

here shortly. With his return, the

Reich may be expected to redouble

Latest Rome Report

ROME, May 4 (UP) -A dispatch

The following forthcoming wed-

The leading light in the German trouble-making machine in the Near

In unofficial Turkish circles, regret

key by the Axis.

The Turks appear to have the ful-

India, ancient builder of ships, is preparing to launch vessels equal to the best of the West.

Although South Africa has no real shipbuilding industry, Durban's wellgreat sacrifices in blood which she equipped repairing yard and dry dock are most valuable to-day when shipping goes round the Cape instead

ing resources. A new shippard, em- to-day. Hitler drew a definite distinction ploying 2,000 men, is being estabyard overt provocation by Iraqi troops, can build four ships at one time, are occupying only certain points while Mort's Dock, Sydney, can turn essential to the fulfilment of the Paying tribute to the quality of out two large and several small Anglo-Iraq Treaty terms, it is stated

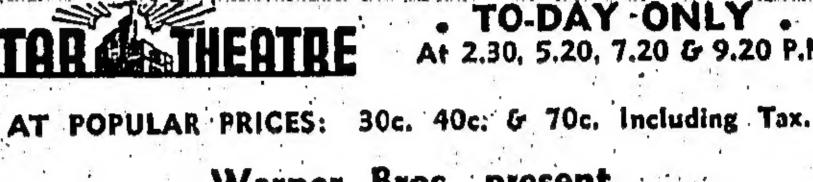
women must make an additional contribution to the national effort."

The equipment of the Common-Petroleum Company's concession to be wealth to handle the engineering side suspended, according to a Baghan

Greatest Confidence vessels, each of 9,300 tons carrying Regent of Iraq, his nephew, says a "I can assure you that I face the capacity, have just been placed in despatch from Amman. Quebec, Montreal and Vancouver.

## Nationality

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## Minister Flew Bombers Over Enemy Territory

tary, it was revealed that until he became a Minister in May he had been making regular flights over Germany in R.A.F.

his brief illness have had dif- other times he acted as an observer." sculty in ascertaining the precise cause of death.

When he took to bed he show-German measles,

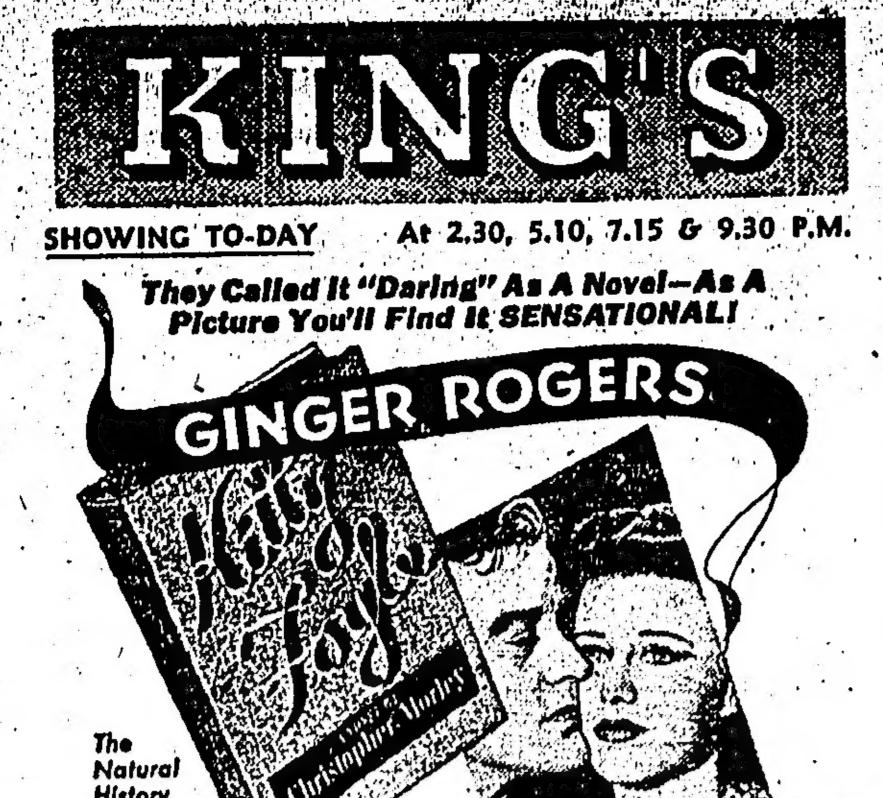
nggravated this old trouble. During his flights over Germany—the film will be produced at Denham he was the only Cabinet Minister to by Paul Soskin.

A few hours after the death of Lord Lloyd, Colonial Secre-I have flown over the country since the Lord Horder and six other war, although his flights were made doctors who attended him during before he attained Cabinet rank—he sometimes took the controls. At

German measies.

David Niven, who returned to Britain from Hollywood to become associated with him said, "when Lord an Army captain, is to be given Lloyd was in the East with Lawrence special leave to take the lead in a of Arabia, he contracted some form British film which will show how of poisoning from an obscure germ, the British people have carried on its possible that his flights their ordinary life since Munich. He will play the role of a newsflord Lloyd was a fully qualified paper man. The story has been filer, both as pilot and observer written by a Fieet Street man and

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"Loyal" Weakening

carry out his plans in time. He described Mr Churchill's decis-

The prisoners of war taken in the Balkans included, Hitler said, Serbs

S.S. body guard troops were used in the fighting against the British and Australians in Greece:

Italian Sacrifices

has made for the future of the Axis since October last year."

Nazi Women Must Work

weapons this year and next year.

people also in the future."

Hitler concluded, "the National Socialist State-stands out as a solid monument to commonsense. The National Socialist State will not only survive this war but will survive for n thousand years to come."

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## Speech By Hitler To Reichstag

### Hurls Insults At Mr Churchill

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" BERLIN, May 4 (UP).-Hitler, in an exultant speech to the whole world proclaimed that Nazism will last a thousand years. He defied the United States with the assertion that Germany can defeat "every conceivable coalition.'

The speech was made in the Reichstag during the first sitting since immediately following the fall of France. Hitler sald that to-day the "democratic agitators in countries to which Germany had never done any harm threaten to choke our State with force by their capitalistic system of material production. I answer that we will never again witness 1918 but will rise ever higher in achieve-

#### Highlights of Speech

The highlights of the speech were, (1) "I never revile an enemy but Churchill's behaviour is symptomatic to a drunkard's ravings. He is history's bloodiest dilettante."

(2) Germany's armed forces, wi have even better weapons next year. (3) The losses of Britain in Greece and Yugo-Slava were at least five times those of Germany who lost only 5,228 dead, missing and wounded while the Allied prisoners totalled

(4) Germany has no "particular territorial claims" in the Balkans. (5) Yugo-Slavia feared to be victims of British intrigues "in contrast to Turkey;" apparently hinting that Turkey will abandon Britain.

(6) Germany has made good Hitler's prophecy that "whenever the British are set to fight on the continent, we would attack them and

\* Full report of speech on Page

### MENZIES-GOES OTTAWA

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, May 4 (UP).-Local Australian circles to-day said that Mr Menzics the Australian Premier has gone to Ottawa from New York to Saturday see Mr MacKenzie King, the Cana- Junkers dian Prime Minister and other damaged. Canadian Jeaders...

He will then proceed to Washingion for three days during which time objectives. he will visit President Roosevelt and then proceed to the Pacific coast and homeward.

## Writer-Politician Dies

LONDON, May 4 (Reuter) .- Mr Ramsay Muir, one of the most prominent members of the Liberal Party and a noted writer on historical, municipal and economic subjects, died to-day aged 69.

He resigned from a University professorship and became a member of Parliament and was Chairman of the National Liberal Federation for three years.

# OF IRAQI FORCE DESTROYED

CAIRO, MAY 4 (REUTER).-HALF THE IRAQI AIR FORCE HAS BEEN DESTROYED OR PUT OUT OF ACTION, ACCORDING TO A SPECIAL R.A.F. COMMUNIQUE ISSUED HERE TO-NIGHT.

IT STATES: "BOMBER AIRCRAFT OF THE R.A.F. CARRIED OUT ANOTHER HEAVY ATTACK ON THE IRAQI AERODROME AT MOASCAR RASCHID TO-DAY. SEVERE DAMAGE WAS CAUSED TO THE AERODROME BUILDINGS AND WORKSHOPS AND AT LEAST 22 IRAQI AIRCRAFT WERE PUT OUT OF ACTION.

## BOMBERS SINK ENEMY SHIPS

Skilful Action By R.A.F.

Special to the "Telegraph" LONDON, May 4 (UP).—Describing Saturday's daylight attacks on shipping in the Straits of Dover by the R.A.F., the Air Ministry states that off Graveslines, which is situated between Dunkirk and Calais, bombers attacked a 2,000-ton ship tween punkirk and Caiais, pompers attacked it 2,000-ton ship craft. One aircraft was destroyed on the ground and which was being accompanied by two smaller ships of about 500 craft. One aircraft was destroyed on the ground and

Bombing of Brest

on Brest," where the Scharnhorst

harbour who are heads of familles

Attack on Convoy

Direct hits were made on the des-

troyers and three merchant ships of

Air Display

In Manila

New U. S. Commander

Welcomed

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

General Henry B. Clagett,

former Commander of Selfridge

Field, Michigan, who arrived on

General Clagett will be the first

Air Corps Generals Officer Com-

manding the Air Forces of the Philip-

pines-indicative of the stress the

United States Army is placing on the

building up of its air strength in the

General Clagett was stationed in

Mr. Henry R. Luce, author and

editor of "Time" and "Life" also

arrived on the Clipper with his wife

Clare Booth. They are en route to

Philippines with new planes and

the American Clipper.

personnel.

Chungking.

destroyers, in the Mediterranean.

## Raids On N. African Coastline

## R.A.F. Communique off Boulogne. They were under

in producing for German fighting throughout Saturday and the ship of 5,000 tons. previous night. The aerodrome at Benina was heavily attacked at night. Two Junkers troopbombs and machine-gun fire and Darlan, according to a Paris dispatch damaged.

shall receive an additional allowance The aerodrome was again severely bombed in daylight on of 300 francs a month. and many other troop-carriers were

In Benghazi a large fire and violen explosions were caused on military

### Helping Land Forces

The R.A.F. has again given continuous powerful air support to successful operations of British ground forces in the Amba Alagi and Falag Pass areas in Abyssinia.

Great destruction was caused to enemy fortifications, motor transport and supplies by bombs and machine-

gun attacks. Heavy casualties were\_inflicted or enemy troops.

From all these operations, adds the communique, all our aircraft returned safely.

#### "After several direct hits had two Iraqi fighters that been scored, the larger ship set-attempted to intercept our bomtled down by the stern with bers were shot down. clouds, of smoke and steam ris-Our aircraft yeturned safely to ing from it. The 25 Iraqi pircraft destroyed "One of the smaller ships was also would appear to represent half the hit and was left with her bows awash. Both vessels are claimed to Iraqi air force which, at the outbreak of the war on September 3 1939, be total losses." numbered 50, including 36 front line Another formation of bombers, escorted by fighters, attacked ships

in several hostile aircraft being disabled.

targets were bombed throughout the day.

there were near misses on several others.

A railway line was bombed and an armoured

Many raids were made on Iraqi gun positions,

#### Key Points Occupied heavy gunfire from the shore batteries as well as from the ships, but | LONDON, May 4 (Reuter).—It is CAIRO, May 4 (Reuter). while fighters were coming up from officially announced that British LONDON, May 4 (Reuter).—

train turned back.

"Owing to the recent bombing raids bombing and artillery fire. A Cairo communique says: R.A.F. has decided that all workers in Brest demolished military buildings and damaged aircraft on the ground.

### Rashid's Aerodrome Raided

CAIRO, May 4 (Reuter).—British CAIRO, May 4 (Reuter).—An R.A. bombers heavily attacked petrol F. communique reports that R.A.F. dumps and magazines at Moreat Rashid's aerodrome outside Baghdad, war. bombers on May 2 attacked a convoy of enemy merchant ships, escorted by obtaining many direct hits and demolishing military buildings.

Bombs were also seen to turn over and damage aircraft on the ground. During this operation, British 12,000, 8,000 and 4,000 tons respecbombers also shot down an Iraq aircraft and severely damaged

The shelling of Habbaniyah aerodrome by Iraqi guns was resumed early this morning, causing some casualties to non-combatants. reply British aircraft bombed machine-gunned mechanised trans. port with the result that the shelling was reduced, -

False Sanctuary

## Deposed Regent LONDON, May 4 (Reuter),-

(7) Germany "is now in a position to mobilise more than half of Europe" harass the enemy in Circuaica on fire and probably sunk a supply announced that Basia. His Royal Highness Emir Abdul near and power station at Basia. Illah has issued a probably sunk a supply announced that Basia. Illah has issued a probably sunk a supply announced that Basia. forces but despite an extention of the in Palestine calling on Iraqis to time allowed, failed to do so and the rise against Rashid Ali and British forces drove them out by asserting that Rashid Ali and other ill-disposed persons bought carriers were destroyed by and Gneisenau are lying, Admiral bombers heavily attacked petrol by foreign gold have by force dumps and magazines at an Iraqi "thrust me from my sacred many others were severely to the official German news agency, acrodrome outside Baghdad. Bombs duties as the guardian of my nephew, your beloved young

Abdul Illah declares: "Under their evil sway, the noble land of Iraq has been poisoned by falsehood and lies and brought from the blessings of peace to the horrors of a venomous

### Returning To Iraq

"My duty is plain. I am returning to restore the tarnished honour of my native land and lead it back to peaceful prosperity under a lawfully constituted government. I call upon all true sons of Iraq to drive out this band of traitors and restore to our beloved country true liberty and independence. Recall your sons and brothers from this war brought upon orial in the "Voce d' Italia" to-day, your hands by lies and intrigues of Signor Gayda, commenting on the foreigners thinking only of their British situation in the Mediterraneselfish interests.

my restoration of an independent Egypt. Iraqi constitutional government. "Long Live King Feisal II!"

Arab National League LONDON, May '4 (British, Wireless).—The following statement has TURN to Back Page, Column 3

## After R.A.F. Visit to Milan

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This was one of the effects of a recent raid by the Royal Air Force on Milan. Italian siremen are seen at work on a wrecked building. Milan was not the only town to feel the power of the British bombers. Other towns in northern Italy were visited at the same time.



## Night Soil Coolies' Mass Demonstration

## March To Government House

A warning that if the disgruntled night soil coolies continued to demonstrate with street processions and other coercive actions, their four leaders would be arrested and deported, was issued by Mr W. P. Thompson, Assistant Director of Criminal Investigation (Special Branch) this morning when he visited Government House to put a stop to a mass demonstration.

## Axis Eyes On Palestine

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

ROME, May 4 (UP).—In an editan following the Greek defeat, hints "Soldiers! Go peacefully to your that the Axis may attack Palestine stations and there peacefully await as well as resume the offensive in

> He asserted that the Italian forces in Ethiopia are planning the reconquest of lost territory the moment the British slacken the pressure. Ho also alleged that the hostilities in Iraq are obliging England to send considerable forces there.

The remainder were shot down by

Enemy aircraft crossed the south-

to-day, penetrating a few miles in-

Night Alert

parts of Britain

land but no bombing is reported.

time after the alarm.

The demonstrators, mostly women and children, marched from Caine Road to Government House, headed by a banner which bore the inscription "His Excellency the Governor. Mercy. Restore our Living. Night Soil Carriers."

They squatted down in Upper Albert Road, Garden Road and near the Botanical Gardens, while their four leaders attempted to present a pelition to the Governor. However, His Excellency refused to interview

### Leaders Warned

An emergency police squad was despatched to Government House to maintain order, and later Mr Thompson arrived and spoke to the four ringleaders through an interpreter.

He told them that if they had a grievance they must send a small deputation to the Hon. Sir Robert Kotewall, who would listen to them and advise them on the proper action to be taken.

Mr Thompson warned them that any measures to coerce the Government would be of no use at all, and

"We are not going to tolerate any destroyed last night, an Air Ministry steps to coerce the Government," Further claims for destruction communique says that one of them declared the police official. This

of others are being investigated. was brought down by a balloon bar- procedure is all wrong and it will not help your case in any way." Following this conference the lea-

ders appealed to the demonstrators British fighters, one over Northern to disperse, while the banners which were being carried, were thrown

### Refuse To Disperse

Many of the women went away, but a certain number remained, refusing to obey the ringleaders. They LONDON, May 4: (Reuter) .- Lon- started walling and protesting that Britain in April, 84 fell to British don had a night alert for the second they were hungry, at the same time! night in succession after a Juli of pointing out that they were not re-

They inslated upon their pleaders: No gunfire was heard for some being allowed to present the Clovernor with their petitions despite the Raiders were reported over several appeals of the police for them who: disperses quietly

## Roosevelt Says U.S. Ready To Fight For Democracy

STAUNTON, Virginia, May 4 (Reuter).—Speaking at the dedication of President Woodrow, Wilson's birthplace as national shrine, President Roosevelt declared that the American people had fought before and were "ever ready to again" for the existence of "democracy in the world."

The President said that Wil-|clated human values. Those un-| the Philippines from 1908 to 1910 as son taught that democracy could happy peoples who placed their sole an infarity lieutenant. not survive in isolation. "We reliance on the sword have inevitably applaud his judgment and his Physical strength can never per-

faith." Declaring the Manse, where Wilson spiritual force." - ..... was born, "a new shrine of freedom," Lord and Lady Halifax, Mr and President Roosevelt said that by the Mrs Cordell Hull and Mrs Woodrow act of dedication, "we are bearing Wilson were among the large gathertrue witness to the faith that is in ing who applauded strongly when us a simple faith in the freedom of President Roosevelt notified. the democracy in the world. It is the world that the United States was kind of faith for which we have "ever ready to fight again."

Triumphant End

that the human race has made true tion of freedom in the government. A few people were killed and a advancement only as it has appre- of the world.

manently withstand the impact of

ing on the sword would perish by it, night. The remainder of President Roo-President Roosevelt expressed his sevelt's speech was devoted to an ately, damaging civillan and governfaith that democracy would emerge culogy of Woodrow Wilson as a ment property. triumphant from "the tragic conflict statesman who tried to bring nearer Two German bombers were which the world witnesses to-day, the day of "emancipation of con- brought down for certain and a third All recorded history bears wilness science from power and the substitutivas dameged wi

MALTA, May 4 (Reuter).-Two fought before and for the existence. Further cheers greeted the Pre- separate waves of enemy aircraft of which we are ever ready to fight sident's declaration that those rely- heavily raided Malta on Saturday Bombs were dropped indiscrimin-

SIMLA, May 4 (Reuter).-When MANILA, May 4 (UP).— tension in Iraq became acute, Rashid Thirty-six United States Army All offered facilities to the British Minister for the removal of British pursuit planes flew over Manila women and children from Baghdad and Cavite in formation to-day to the shelter of the RAF. station as a welcome to Brigadier- TURN to Back Page, Column 3

LATEST

### British Night Fighters Establish New Record

LONDON, May 4 (Reuter).—Destruction by fighters of 14 such demonstrations the ringleaders of the 16 enemy bombers shot down during Saturday night was would be arrested and deported. the Fighter Command's most successful night of the war, states the Air Ministry.

The highest number of raiders rage and two by ahti-aircraft fire. previously brought down in one night was 13 and of these one was brought down by anti-aircraft fire and another by unspecified means.

Last night's achievement brings the total down over Britain in the cast and southwest coasts in daylight Orst three nights in May to 21. In addition, one was brought down by British fighters over France on Friday night. Of 163 brought down in raids on

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Ames with Pinno. 1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, and Announcements. 1.45 Dvorak-Quartet in A Flat Major, Op. 105. Prague String Quar-

2.15 Close Down. 5.45 p.m. Indian Programme. 6.30 Closing local Stock Quota-

6.32 Mendelssohn-Concerto in E Minor, Op. 64. Fritz Kreisler (Violin) and the State Opera Orches-

7.0 London Relay-The News.

7.15 London Relay-"Questions of the Hour." 7.30 Eileen Joyce (Plano) and Pau Casals ('Cello).

(a) Si oiseau j'etals, a toi je volerois (Bird study) (Henselt); (b) En Route (concert study) (Palmgren), La Danse d'Olaf (Riccardo Pick-Mangiagalli), Elleen Joyce (Pinno); Apres un Reve (Faure), A Village Song (Popper), Pau Casals ('Cello) with piano; Trois Danses Fantastiques (Shostakovich), Scherzo Op. 16 No. 2 (D'Albert), Joyce (Pinno); Andante (Bach), Aria from suite in D (Bach), Pau Casals ('Cello) with piano. 8.0 Local Time Signal and An-

nouncements. 8.02 This week's progremmes. 8.05 Emil Roosz and his Orchestra. from Serenade "Frasquita" (Lehar), Valentina (Wright-Dunn), Moorish March (Mohr),

8.15 London Relay-"Hi, Gang!" .0.0 London Relay.-The News and News Commentary. 9.15 Charlie Kunz at the Piano

and the Mills Brothers. Vocal-Sleepy Head (film "Operator 13"), Put on your Old Grey Bonnet (Murphy and Werrich), The Mills Brothers; Piano-Kunz Revivals No. 2; Intro.: I Never Realised; Birth of the Blues; Pink Elephants; Rose in the Bud; Speak to me of Love; Someday I'll find You, Charlie Kunz; Vocal-Star Dust (Carmichael and others). The Mills Brothers; Piano-Kunz Revivals No. Intro.: Poor Butterfly; After You've Gone; Whispering; Alice Blue Gown: Just a little Love, a little Charlie Kunz: Vocal-Funiculi Funicula (Denza), Asleep in the Deep

Short Wave Only). 9.45 Concert Waltzes. Springtime Waltz (Composer Unkhown), Continental Novelty Or- Gypsy Trail (film 'Ecstasy'), Fox- once to the Directors of the Tung chestra; When the Lemons Bloom Trot-Along the Santa Fe Trail Wah Hospital. (Johann Strauss), Johann Strauss and Symphony Orchestra; Souvenir with Sammy Kaye; Vocal and Plane to the Chairman, Tung Wah Hospital, Fleuri (Composer Unknown), Nullo

(Petrie, Lamb), The Mills Brothers.

Romani and His Orchestra. Home" by Howard Marshall. 10.15 New Dance Music

Variety. Fox-Trots-Oh! Look at me now, You might have belonged to another, Dark'), This is New (film (Lady in navigation.



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Tommy Dorsey and his Orchestra; which arrived in Hongkong on Friday N. T. Tam, Lt Tsk-rong, and Fund gates of the workers interviewed Mr Vocal-A Little Old Church in Eng- reported to the Police that he sighted | Cm-yma (Chairman, Tung Wah F. B. Toosdale, Administrative Asland (Irving Berlin), Barry Wood a burning junk in Latitude 22° 23' Hospital). (Baritone) with Orchestra: Fox- North and Longitude 114: 44 East Trots Jenny (film Lady in the The hulk is considered a danger to of Government's decision regarding they had appealed to the Secretary print to ensure that Naxism gets "a



TO PALESTINE—Italian prisoners captured by the British in the Libyan campaign are shipped to Palestine for internment. Here they are shown disembarking from a train at an undisclosed point after travelling from the Western Desert.

## SUPER - CLIPPERS FLY BEFORE 1942

Six new Boeing 42-ton super-Clippers, ordered by Pan-American Airways, are being prepared, months ahead of their original schedule, to take their place on the world's airways before the end of this year.

Construction on the Clippers is being accelerated for two good reasons. One is to clear the Boeing plant for production of flying fortresses. Equally important, even as a wartime measure, is to use these ships to expand trans-Atlantic passenger and mail service.

## Nightsoil Workless

The Chinese members of the Executive and Legislative Councils, with the Chairman of the Tung Wah Hospital Committee, have now intervened in the nightsoil impasse, to make them "super," new engineinvite the charitable to donate money for relief of coolies who have been thrown out of work by the Government's taking over of the service.

The following letter, which speaks for itself, is addressed to the Editor, South China Morning Post:

Sir,-May we trespass upon your columns to appeal to the charitable minded of Hongkong to give donations to form a relief fund for the night soil coolies who are unemployed as the result of Government taking over the night soil removal, pending their re-absorption by the Urban Council or other employment. We should like to make it clear

lowing terms: That the Body responsible for the night time sleeping capacity has been Aren "C" will be affected. relief will have complete discretion increased and space found for a galley | Light gun practice will be carried as to what relief should be given, and at the front of the passenger quarters. out between the hours of 6 p.m. and in particular the Relief Body shall have full discretion in refusing aid includes a new fabric into which Firing Areas "D" and "E" will be where the Relief Body is satisfied has been woven a design of the map affected. . that the applicant for relief is not of the world. making any bona fide efforts to ob-

tain employment, e.g. by registering intended for the trans-Atlantic air- heavy gun anti-aircraft practice in with the Urban Council for employ- ways. Recent news dispatches from the southern area of the Island (oriment as soon as a vacancy occurs. | Pan-American of three of them for ginally detailed for 28/4/41, 1/5/41, extent of the financial resources communications and it is understood affected. available, on the lines stated above, that these boats are being tentatively should there be any ultimate balance remaining, we are to have full dis-

cretton, in consultation with the Hon. the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, to donate such balance to charities, inthe Dark'), Leo Reisman and His stead of returning the same to the

The Directors of the Tung Wah Imagination (Van Housen), Bebe Hospital have kindly undertaken to

Yours faithfully, Robert Kotzwall, M. K. Lo, W. It will be recalled that four dele- Sweden and Finland, and selling

In their efforts to obtain ravision Council, on Friday. On Thursday, ability to hold up supplies of newsthe departmental nightsoil collection for Chinese Affairs.

So big are the flying boats that | the hull must be trundled outside the plant to the dock where the wings, tail surfaces, hydrostabilisers and engines are attached. Here in its beaching gear with cranes and workmen handling it, the Clipper is again for to-day: a-matter\_of\_shipbuilding.

Known officially as Model 314-A. the new super-Clippers are of the same basic size and design as the Boeing Model 314 now in use. But they have the improvements that propeller combination, increased fuel capacity and interior improvements. Engines in the super-Clippers are Wright Cyclones with 1,600 horsepower per engine available for quicker take-off. Propellers have

been increased 10 inches in diameter. Fuel tanks built into the hydrostabilisers of the new ships hold an additional 1,200 gallons of fuel This gives them a total capacity of 6.400 gallons which means that the more than 4,000 miles.

New Features

ear-marked for Britain.

## STOCK MARKET

Hongkong Stock Exchange Official Summary Issued on Saturday: Buyers

Providents \$4.60 Tram \$16 Entertainment \$0.50 Hotels \$2.80 Sellers

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service, the coolies, who held two a heavy buyer of these commodities Through the courtesy of the Press street demonstrations last week are it is hoped to publish in due course now seeking legal advice to prepare a complete list of subscriptions -- a petition to be presented to His Excellency the Governor.

sistant to the Chairman of the Urban

In Action This Week Firing practice as under is notified

Heavy and Light Guns

(a) Heavy gun practice between the hours of 0 a.m. and 4 p.m. Alternative dates-May, 8, 9, 1941. Firing areas "D" and "E" will be affected; (b) Reserved between the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. for heavy A.A. gun practice in the southern area of the Island (originally detailed for 28/4/41, 1/5/41, and 2/5/41). Firing Area "C" will be affected; (c) Light gun practice between the hours of 6 p.m. and 12

will be affected. Firing practice as under notified for to-morrow:

midnight. Firing Areas "D" and "E"

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New interior decorative treatment 12 midnight on May, 7, 8, 9, 1941.

Reserved on May, 8 1941 between The new ships are presumably the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. for Whilst relief will be given to the use in maintaining British Empire and 2/5/41), Firing Area "C" will be

## Nazi Racket In Newsprint

Germany, with her army sprawling all over the Continent, Rome Not Yet ing the plant under contract with the holding communications tightly Rome Not Yet British Purchasing Commission, said in her grasp,"is exploiting her position by acting as middleman between one country and another. Reports reaching London say that

Berlin recently offered to sell to sen (Lab., West-Leyton) at Jugo-Slavia several thousand tons of newsprint and wood pulp. For many years Germany has been

from Scandinavia. change rates the Nazis are buying the pulp and newsprint in Norway, dearly in the Balkans.

Goebbels, Loo, has a part in these transactions. He is using Germany's good Press" in south-eastern Europe. expected to discuss this question in

## Exchange At A Glance

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Sir Archibald Sinclair, the Air Minister, informed Mr R. Sorenquestion time in the House of in progress but will be complete in Commons recently, that Rome had not at any time been at THANKS TO NAVY With their arbitrarily fixed ex- were objectives of military importance that would justify such an attack. Mr Sorensen then asked if the

close proximity of the Vatienn City to Rome had any bearing, on the gyoldance of such an attack. Sir Archibald Sinclair: I cannot be

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OUTWARD' AIR MAILS Monday. May 5 Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, U.S.A. and Europe via "Pan American Airways and Trans-Atlantic Service."

K.P.O. Reg. ..... May 5, 5 p.m. Ord. ........May 5, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O. Reg. ..... May 5, 5 p.m. Friday, May 9 Air Mail by Air to Rangoon to connect with the British Overseas

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Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, U.S.A., and Europe via "Pan American Airways and Trans-Atlantic Bervice." K.P.O. Reg. ..... May 13, 5 p.m. Ord. ..... May 13, 5.30 p.m.

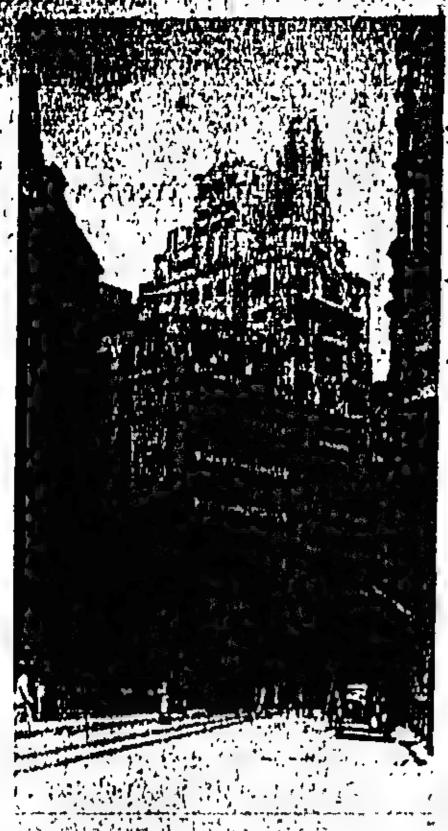
Britain's Plant

G.P.O.

Great Britain's new smokeless powder plant in Momphis (Tonnessee) is now in production. The Tennessee Powder Co., n. du Pont affiliate that built and is operat-"production rate is being increased. as rapidly as possible and should approach normal in a short time.". It was said 2,000 employees are lengaged in actual manufacture of powder. Construction on Various limits of the \$20,000,000 plant is still

When Field-Marshal Lord Milne gave a luncheon at the Savoy in honour of members of the American Legion in London, grace was said by Mr. J. J. Jordan, High Commissioner for New Zonland.

These were his words: "For what we are about to eat, "Thanks be to God and the British Fleet."



#### April 27

Farewell at Stanley. - A very enjoyable "smoker" was held in the Prison Officers' Club at Stanley on the occasion of a forewell presentation to Mr H. G. Fuller prior to his retirement from the Prison Department on the grounds of ill-health.

Mr Fuller first arrived in the Colony over 30 years ago, when in 1910 he was stationed at Lyemun with the 83rd Coy, R.G.A. He was later transferred to the Peking Legation Guard, and served under Sir John Jordan who was the British Minister to Peking at that time. In 1914 Mr Fuller went to France, being attached to the first 2.92 Howltzer Brigade in the war. After serving on most fronts from Belglum to Germany, he returned to China in 1919 with the Labour Corps and ioined the Chinese Maritime Customs at Shanghai as a tide-waiter, from where he was transferred to Pakhoi. Leaving the Customs in 1922, he joined the Prison Department, from which he is now retiring after 19 years' service.

In his younger days Mr Fuller represented his unit in swimming races and water polo events, and was a useful hand in the Kudd racing. which is a well-known sport in the responsible in saving many a point Artillery.

Major J. L. Wilicocks, D.S.O., M.C., Commissioner of Prisons, made a presentation on behalf of the Staff of a silver ten service to Mr Fuller, and thanked him for the good work he had done in the Prison garden at Laichikok, and said he understood that Mr Fuller was going in for gardening on an extensive scale when he finally arrived in England. Major Willcocks was sure that he would make a success of it, and trusted that he would live many happy years in retirement with his family, who are through many faults. at present in Australia.

Mr Fuller made a suitable reply, in which he thanked all members of the Staff for their token of esteem. and for the kind words said both about himself and the good wishes extended to Mrs Fuller; and said that when he was finally settled he hoped to have the pleasure of seeing any of his friends when they were in the Old Country.

Mr F. N. Hill was Master of Ceremonies, and a delightful programme was presented by several members of the Staff, the artists being Messra E. W. Perry, S. Hodge, J. Docherty, A. D. Spoors, W. Doxford, J. W. Grant, F. N. Hill, R. F. Rosen, C. J. Norman, H. G. Fuller, J. W. Fitz-Gerald, C. V. Jamieson, the "Great Marvino," Major J. L. Willcocks, A. Jillott, and Drs E. W. R. Hackett and G. I. Shaw.

Masons at Church. The annual Masonic Church Service under the auspices of the District Grand Lodge of Scottish Freemasonry was held at the Union Church to-day. The service was conducted by Rev. K. Mackenzie J. Dow, and Rev. J. E. Sandbach, District Grand Chaplains with Bro. G. E. Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor Colony is entitled to ask. , Longycar as organist.

Masons entered the Church led by the District Grand Master of the Scottish Lodge, Mr J. E. Ferguson, and the District Grand Master, English Constitution, Hon. Mr C. G. Alabaster. They were followed by Worshipful Brother R. J. Shrigley, Deputy District Grand Master (Scottish), and Worship-ful Brother L. C. F. Bellamy (English). Then came the officers of the two District Grand Lodges, followed by members of other Lodges,

The Call to Worship and prayer of Invocation and Confession were said by Mr Mackenzie Dow and the Lesson. taken from Psalm 33, was read by Mr

In the course of the prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession, Mr Sandbach recalled that the day was Anzac Sunday and prayers were offered for Australian, New Zealand and -Empire soldiers so bravely fighting in Greece.

Mr Mackenzie Dow delivered a sermon, the text of which was taken from St Paul's Epistic to the Colossians, "Whatsoever you do, do it in the name of the Lord.

Ald For Schools. More than ten Chinese schools in Hongkong will receive subsidies from the Overseas Affairs Commission of the National Government during the current year, They include Fong Lam College, Mui Fong College, Yeung Chung Girls School, Chung Wah School, Kwong Wah College, Wah Klu School and Wah Nam College,

The Overseas Affairs Commission appropriates every year certain sums schools in Hongkong, Macao and Bouth Sen regions with the view to promoting overseas Chinese education.

The amount appropriated this year is learned to be between \$30,000 and \$40,000.

# Hongkong News of the Week

Page For The Evacuees

Review Of

## Monday

#### April 28

Italian Priest Fined. Francis Ric- from Namtau to get provisions for ciardi, the Italian Roman Catholic his mission and hospital there, priest who was charged at Central Asked by His Worship why he Magistracy on April 24 with breach called himself a Spanish subject, of the Defence Regulations—being an Defendant said that he gave, the enemy allen found in Lau Fau Shan, excuse "to save his skin.".

Ping Shan, a protected area, without Imports And Exports. The Superthe permission of the First Security intendent of Imports and Exports has Officer-was fined \$50 or one month's released for publication the following imprisonment by Mr G. T. Lowry tables of wholesale price index num-

The Magistrate said: "As I have The index-which is unweighted-Number to buy provisions and for Department by Importers. no other purpose. I am therefore There was a general average in-imposing a nominal fine. I emphasise crease of 20.6 per cent. in the 1st that this is purely a nominal fine." Quarter of 1941 as compared with

Chief Det.-Inspector A. H. Elston the 1st Quarter of 1940. subject named Lopes. Taken to the cent.

The . Ping Shon Police Station he admitted who he was and said he had come bers in the Colony of Hongkong.

received no further information from has been constructed from declarathe Prosecution I must accept your tions furnished to the Statistical stony that you came over from Branch of the Imports and Exports

stated at the previous hearing that The Foodstuffs group increased by Defendant was seen in a Chinese 26.3 per cent, in the 1st Quarter of enting-house in Lau Fau Shan on the 1941 as compared with the 1st Quarafternoon of April 21. He was not ter of 1940; Textiles by 13.3 per cent. dressed in cierleal garb and when Metals and Minerals by 20.8 per cent. questioned said he was a Spanish and Miscellaneous Items by 20.5 per they are given the support they have

## Tuesday

#### April 29

three finals of the badminton cham- he has been appointed. pionships were decided.

unsuccessfully defended his title tises, before him a high standard of who was accompanied by his wife match. Choy took the first game at and lealous regard for the ctiquette correspondent for Collier's magazine, an admirable swing throughout. 15-5 with hardly any opposition, and decencies of the profession, and visited Shiukwan, Kwellin, Kunming, Wong improved slightly in the second that lie may considently count on Chungking, and the Hupch war front. game and was successful in a receiving from everyone that same While in Chungking, Mr Hemingnumber of dropshots, but was unable measure of ready and willing assis- way had a long interview with to do anything with Choy's smashes, tance which has been always ac- Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, Dr Choy took the second game 15-8.

between Miss M. Silva and Miss M. Hongkong. .A. Xavier, and Mrs Zimmern and Mrs Torrible was as expected, the and every member of the staff of the Mr Hemingway flew over part, of former pair winning 15-7, 15-7, Miss Court. I extend to my brother Cres- the Burma Road during his visit to Silva was faultless in her net play sall a very warm welcome to Hong- Lashio and Rangoon, and noted long and her partner excelled in drop-kong, and our best wishes for his lines of vehicles bringing in supplies

shots which proved effective. Of the losing pair, Mrs Torrible played the better game and was In the junior doubles: A. L. Fisher

and P. Wynter-Blyth beat Pereira and A. E. Movier, 15-11, 18-14.. Both Wynter-Blyth Fisher brought off good smashes and fine recoveries. The losing pair were both over-anxious. Pereira smashes and Xavier in net play.

The postponed junior singles semifinal between T. S. Young and D. Chelliah resulted in a win for Young, and distinguished career in His by the Medical Department for the 15-9, 15-18, 15-8. Young had his own way in the first game, but Chelliah took a well deserved second Guiana and Palestine. We feel con- brackets: game. Young won the third game fident that the happy relations that King's Park 1,299 (1,299): Matau-

den of the Hongkong Hotel, when the are able to make it. 40th birthday of His Imperial Japanese Majesty, Emperor Hirohito, K.G., G.C.B., G.C.V.O., was celebrated in Mr Justice Cressall replied: Mr

traditional manner. and the Consul, Mr S. Kimura, who Justice for his very kind remarks in easily defeated G. W. Sewell and D. recently arrived in Hongkong, re- introducing me to you and also to M. MacDougall, 6-2, 6-1, 6-2. ceived the guests, among whom were thank you for the very warm wel-H.E. the General Officer Command- come you have addressed me. I can ing the Troops, Major-General A. E. assure you that in my past experi- their opponents, the game was not Grasett, and the Hon. Captain Col- ence on the Bench there is one out- entirely devoid of interest. There were linson, Commodore, as well as Un- standing thing that I have always a number of hard-hitting duels and official and Official members of tried to remember and that is that spectacular volleys in which Sewell Council, members of the Govern- no member of the Judicial Bench can and MacDougall acquitted themselves

of the legal profession as well as friendship of his brother members MacDougall brought off some excelthe staff of the Supreme Court, of the profession. I myself always lent smashes. headed by the Hon. Mr C. G. Alabas- regard members of the profession as The elder Tsul played far below

said: Mr Attorney, I present to you and to the members of both branches

I have assured my brother that he were quiet at the fronts. In the senior singles, Patrick Wong will find from everyone who prac-

> On behalf of myself, the Registrar Kal-shek. happiness here.

#### Attorney General's Welcome

The Attorney General said: Justice Cressall, I regard it as a great privilege to be present here to-day, he was most impressed with everybranches of the legal profession and people whom he had met. in to extend to your Lordship a very warm and sincere welcome on your Reception. His Excellency the Bench and the officers and practi- 1,526 (1,519); Morrison Hill 516 Governor, Sir Geoffry Northcote, re- tioners of the Court during the last (517); Tai Hang squatters camp presenting His Majesty the King, century will continue to exist under 2,557 (2,557); Ngau Tau Kok replied on behalf of the guests at your guidance as Puisne Judge of squatters camp 807 (801); Kam Tin to-day's-reception-by-the-Consul-this Colony. We trust that your 2,318 (2,234); Fanling Children's ing-April-was-mainly-unsettled, with-Mr-and-Mrs-E,-M, Raymond, General for Japan at the Roof Gar- future here will be as happy as we Camp 355 (328).

### Mr Cressall Replica

Attorney, I would like first of all to The Consul-General, Mr S. Yano express my gratitude to the Chief Championship to-day when they ment, the Consular body, and others, make successful his job unless he has creditably. Sewell was fairly suc-New Puisne Judge. Both branches the . complete . co-operation and cessful with his forehand drives and

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#### April 30

Hemingway Returns, "Provided been promised. I see no reason why they cannot continue the fight indefinitely against the Japanese." declared Mr Ernest Hemingway, noted war correspondent and author, who has just returned to Hongkong after a long tour of the China war fronts.

Mr Hemingway said that he was Badminion Finals. Accommoda of the profession my brother Cressail most impressed with everything he tion at the Kowloon Cricket Club who this morning takes his sent for had seen, especially the Chinese was taxed to capacity to-night when the first time on the Bench to which soldiers, whom he saw at work. He did not see much fighting, as things

During his tour, Mr Hemingway,

corded to me and to all the Puisne H. H. Kung, General Ho Ying-ching, The result of the women's doubles Judges who have sat since I came to War Minister, and other high officials, while his wife saw Madame Chiang

> to Free China. Supplies were reaching Chungking without any interruption, he said, and he did not notice any stoppage of traffic owing to the

Japanese bombing of the road. He concluded by reiterating that on behalf of the Officers of this thing he had seen, especially the high Court and of the members of both morale of the Chinese leaders and the

In Refugee Camps. Figures of the number of Chinese refugees and destaking your seat on this Colony's titules accommodated in the Hong-Bench for the first time, after a long kong Government camps, as supplied Majesty's service and on the Magis- week ending April 26, are given beterial and Judicial Bench in British low, with figures for April 19 in

have been established between the chung 1,695 (1,718); North Point

The grand total for April 26 was 11,073, as compared with 10,973 for April 10, showing an increase of 100, Tennis Championships. Tsui Waipul and Tsul Yan-pul entered the final of the Colony's Tennis Doubles

Although the standard of the Tsui brothers' play was far above that of

ter, K.C., Attorney General, gathered brothers in every sense of the word form, frequertly over-hitting and netat the Summary Court to-day to wel- and I know as I sit here that mem- ting easy returns. Yan-pui, however, was present, the physical effort proved refused to run for them, Tsui increased come the new Puisne Judge, Mr bers of the profession will extend to served and volleyed well. The win-Justice P. E. F. Cressall. me the help and assistance that any ners were never seriously extended Introducing the new Judge, the newcomer to the Bench of this and the match was over in a little on 40, the effort was all the more

## Thursday

enacted by David Ingleby, loves Mrs. hus got himself engaged to someone gust was 51 m.p.h. at 9.15 a.m. on the else. Thereby the complications!

Mr Forrest, who has been in ill-sets in a hard fought match. health for some time, will be leaving for Australia later this month. He

tor the Immigration Department is Badminton Association, made a short still under consideration by Govern-speech in which he congratulated ment, particularly the agreement be- the winners and runners-up and A. von Kobza-Nagy and how far that of the Hon. Secretary, Mr M. Talan. agreement is still binding," stated a Mr Gray said the championships had

slight plot.

bouquet for their effort, for, they tled, with much rain and some heavy knew exactly how much to make of thunderstorms, their respective parts and wrung the best out of the piece.

not have been what it was without relative humidity was 84%, which is came a stiff hurdle by defeating their the good team work shown by the normal

Winifred Dalziel, a newcomer to against a normal of 115 hours. Rain- and the Bowling Green Club "A". local dramatics, created a decidedly fall was above normal for the fourth favourable impression as Mrs Dot, successive month, the total being 8.69 the wealthy widow who makes up inches against a normal of 5.20 inches her mind to gain the affections of a The total rainfall since January 1 is penniless bachelor. The latter, well now 25.66 inches. Dot, but discovers it only after he The maximum wind velocity in a

laurels as the moneyed cynic, Blen-April was 51.8, on April 4, 1905.) kinsop. A veteran on the boards here, Mr Dormer confirmed general badminton champion of the Colony, opinion as to his dramatic gifts. The P. K. Hool to-night staged a fine against K. W. Choy in a one-sided professional attainment and a strict the former Martha Gellhorn and and the whole farce was played with with H. F. Chew, he won the senior

Forcest, Immigration Officer, has been Choy and Mrs Castro in straight invalided out of the Government sets. Service, it is learned officially this

Government official yesterday.

the Immigration Inquiry, which has for admission to the semi-finals and ulready been handed to Government, finals. He then called on Mrs T. E. is still under consideration, but will Pearce to present the prizes. be made available for publication as Soon as possible.

April Weather. The Royal Obser- sioner of Police; Mr C. G. Perdue and vatory reports that the weather dur- Mrs Perdue, Hon. Mr T. E. Pearce,

hitherto hidden prowess and confidence Tsui Beat Rumjahn. A capacity and he began to drive and volley alcrowd filled the stand and chairs at most without error. Three-all was the Hougkong Cricket Club to-day to soon called and Tsul then took the see Tsui Wai-pul defeat S. A. Rumjahn,

Rumjahn's collapse in the third and fourth sets constituted one of the most surprising upsets in his tennis career and Tsui from then on was unbeatable, as he was widely noted for his amazing his deep drives finding the far corners stamina and second wind. That never- of the court, and he followed them say-die look was sadly missing to-day, of the court, and he followed them. The exertion of the first two sets with beautiful volleys. His drop shots, must have so undermined his strength executed with an underhand cut, just that although the will to fight back skimmed the net, and when Sirdar considering that his age is bordering the set 3-0.

effects on the holder. He made little fourth sets and the match. or no effort to return Tsui's dropshots, and it was generally believed Nightsoll Coolies Protest. Carrying Only one seven was recorded, and that he was conserving his strength several banners bearing the words that was by R. Duncan's rink in the for the remaining sets. It was not "Restore our livelihood" and "Give us First Division, so, however. His strength was being back our century-old jobs," some 200 That Division.
gradually sapped, and his weak returns nightsell coolies, mostly women, march. The new system "of point scoring against a much younger adversary cil to have the new scheme—whereby A draw halves the points, should offset any adverse criticism. Government takes over control of the should offset any adverse criticism.

was, nowever, completely mastered in a deputation of six, including four ber of Navai and civillan friends the first set although it went to 12 women, went up to the Urban Coungathered to offer their congratulagames, but he was the undisputed cil. The Hon, Mr W. J. Carrie, gathered to offer their congratuladictator from the later stages of the Chairman of the Council, being away tions.

Second stanza. He placed the boll on sick leave, they saw Mr E. B. They were married at Port Glaswhere he wanted, knowing with certainty that the return would be a weak one to be killed. Tsui revealed some the Press afterwards, saying that he ing Miss Crayk. She was born near of his most deadly form in the third had no authority to do so. of his most deadly form in the third had no authority to do so,

Sunshine amounted to 83 hours, Recreation Club, Service, Recreto "B"

Ralph Dormer gained further (The previous lowest recording for

Badminton Finals: Former triple doubles championship, defeating K Y.M.C.A. war charities are bene- W. Choy and K. B. Low over three fiting from the production, and two sets, and with Miss Ulian Khoo, with more performances will be given. Whom he had won he annexed the Mr Forrest Retiring. Mr R. A. D. mixed doubles title, beating K. W.

> T. S. Young won the junior title when he beat A. L. Fisher over three

The standard of play throughout had the misfortune to become afflict- the evening was magnificent, and ed suddenly and seriously with neph. although Young and Fisher were not ritis (kidney trouble) three weeks quite up to the standard of the ugo and he has been in Queen Mary seniors, their match was the most Hospital. He will require prolonged thrilling of the evening and by far

"The question of a General Agent Mr S. A. Gray, President of the tween Mr R. A. D. Forrest and Mr E. paid tribute to the magnificent work established a record in attendances. proving the growing popularity of The Special Commission's report on the game as 1,300 people had paid

> Among the guests were Hon, Mr J. P. Pennefather-Evans, Commis-

However, this gain released his

and again led in the 11th, Sirdar

missed a set point in the next game

removal—cancelled.

holder, in the semi-final of the tennis next two games to lead 5-3, Sirdar, championships, 5-7, 8-6, 6-1, 6-0. however, fought back to level at 5-all

The first two sets were duels of mowever, that what the petitioners. The couple have two sens now court-craft, in which both players excancelled, failing which they wanted serving in H. M. Navy, ploited their bag of tricks. Sirdar it delayed until at least after the war, mixed his shots extremely well and The reply they received was that the war. When he received an opening he crash-Urban Council was responsible only been appointed Official Justices of eye could hardly follow. Leading 5-4 for the carrying out of the scheme, the Peace: in the first set he missed a chance to April Rainfall. Some idea of the Messrs D. J. N. Anderson, F. E. E. clinch it. Tsul levelled but Sirdar out heavy rainfall experienced during Booker, G. T. Lowry, J. P. Pennepositioned him to take the next two April can be obtained from the figures father-Evans, F. F. W. Shaftain, Dr.

#### very variable temperatures. From the 1st to the 5th it was fair and 11 Y.M.C.A. Play. Somerset Maug- rather warm, but a renewed onset the ham is one of the most skilful of rather warm, but a renewed onset the present-day dramatists, and his plays, N.E. monsoon on the evening of the no matter how frail their story range, 5th caused a fall in temperature of never full to bear out his expert 30°F, in 24 hours, and the minimum

knowledge of the theatre and what temperature on the 6th was the lowthe average audience wants. "Mrs est ever recorded in April, The next Dot." which was presented by the few days were mainly cloudy, with European Y.M.C.A. Dramatic Club frequent rain or drizzle and occasionto-night, was entertaining despite a al thunder. There was a short spell of warm fair weather from the 13th to the 18th, but the remainder of the The Y.M.C.A, players deserve a big month was cloudy and very unset-

May 3 The mean temperature for the Lawn Bowls Start. The Lawn Bowls month was 69.5°F, which is 1° below season was officially opened to-day Much of the success is due to the normal. A maximum of 85.0° was when a full programme of matches in producer, Charles Thom, but it is recorded on the 18th and 21st; the the three divisions of the League was fair to say that, despite his apprecia-minimum of 50° occurring on the 6th leid.

The mean in the First Division, Recreio overnot have been what it was without relative hamidity was 84ch which to save a still hand have been what it was without relative hamidity was 84ch which to save a still hand had a save a still hand be a still hand be a still hand be a save a save a still hand be a save a sa

> erstwhile rivals, Craigengower, while victories were also gained by Indian

and the state of the state of the state of

## With Acknowledgments

Solicitors are urged to save everybody's time by putting in clear statements of claim and defence. But it's a bit hard, after a lad's father has spent so much on his law education, to make him talk common English.

· As I understand Japan's hopes, X=the Axis, Y=Britain, Z= Japan, A=America, B=China. Then X+Z=Y+A+B, but Y-A= ZZ, and B-(A+Y)=Z (X+Z)=ZZZ, and the equation should be X+Y+Z=B-A=ZZZZ.

The seven ages of the best people in Hongkong,-White drill, alpaca, khaki shorts, pith helmets, double terni, white shorts, curly

Still I think the war should be lought humanely. Coptured Italians should be protected from being rescued to suffer all over

honesty and integrity,"-and, of course, exceptionally poor luck in Cash Sweeps. A military overcoat has been taken from a bew during a church

service. But look under the sent.

Maybe somebody who lost out in

the hassock scramble.

"To retire from Government

service a poor man requires

Another good reason for doubledecker\_buses: the beggars can't pester you at the windows.

Middlemen's services raise the price of a 5s, tin hat to 25s, . That's why it's so hard to keep the lid on the cost of living.

A newcomer expresses surprise

that there are not more people living in such a delightful place as the Peak. But in time he'il discover Kowloon-and the Peak -Reservation-Ordinance: The Eugenics Clinics in the Re-

fugee Camps have been discontinued, as the inmates have all been served and the population in the camps is almost stationary. That's what I call service, Maybe they'd better look into

migration Commission's Report may have fallen into one. Broken rice (at first grade prices) is now described as Government rice.

some of those cracks. The Im-

Stanley or Tung Wah blend? A Schoolmistress sends the following from a scholar's exercise-book:-"Stencils nre what must be cut from your throat to prevent it getting sore.".

unavailing. It was a grand try, and pressure and smashed through to win Craigengower by one shot in the Second Division, where Kowloon Football Club, Kowloon Tong and Recreio Sirdar was a beaten man when he also won, In the Third Division, started on the third set. He managed Hongkong Cricket Club, although up It was apparent in the eighth game to take the first game on his service, on two rinks, lost to Recreio, while of the second set, with Tsul leading but it was his last, for Tsul won 12 Indian Recreation Club, who finished 5-3, that the fast pace was having ill games in a row to win the third and at the bottom last season, surprised

were killed. The last two sets were ed from Blake Gardens to the Post was introduced and is as follows: Two indeed a pitiable slaughter, but the Office Building this afternoon for the points for a win on aggregate of shots glory of having fought a great bottle purpose of petitioning the Urban Coun- and one point for each, winning rink.

Silver Wedding. Mr N. Green-Tsui played one of his best games in recent years. He did not feel sure of himself in the opening set but as his by members of the Police Emergency Stonecutters, and Mrs Greenwood, drop-shots and hard drives were slowly Squad, and, while they squatted celebrated their Silver Wedding wearing down his opponent, he began under the verandah on the Praya, anniversary at The Wattles," Stoneto gain a measure of confidence. He some of them weeping and wailing, cutters, to-day, when a large num-was, however, completely mastered in a deputation of six, including four ber of Navai and civilian friends

> the Queen's home at Glamis Castle. Mr Greenwood has been connected It was learned from another source, with Naval wireless for 30 years. .



of retreat in June, 1940.

G. E. LEY SMITH

On The Somme

officially, the dogs were ad-across the Somme was im-

mitted to the strength, and minent, an attack was de-

a haystack nearby. It was outskirts. Inside the wood

becoming so troublesome the German infantry had

Fierce fighting had been

going on all along the

Somme. Efforts by the

It is shocking how quickly we

forget. The other day I came

across a bundle of old maps, cut

## LATEST BLUEBIRD RECORDS

B10673	I'll never smile again—f.t. The rumba jumps—swing rumbaGlenn Miller & his orch.
B10541	Ma-f.t.  Row row row—f.t.  Mitchell Ayres & his orch.
B10999	Ciclito lindo—f.t. Carnival of Venice—f.tLarry Clinton & his orch.
B10039	When I dream of you, I dream of old Hawall—f.t. Dreamy Moans nights—waltz Charles Kama & his Islander
B10054	Softly as in the morning sunrise—f.t
B10091	Jungle drums—f.t. It had to be you—f.t
	All I remember is you—f.t. Octoroon—f.t
B10385	Serenado to a savage—f.t. Traffic jam—f.t
B11070	It's always you f.t. Idal sweet as apple elder—f.tGlenn Miller & his orch.
B11081	The captain and his men—f.t.  Birmingham breakdown—f.tCharlie Barnet & his orch.
B10797	Palms of paradise—f.t. Hoohene Keia no beauty—f.t
B11029	Song of the Volga boatmen—f.t.

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## Ljongkong Felegraph.

Monday, May 5, 1941. Wyndham St., Hongkong

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THOSE well-meaning persons who seem to be more anxious about the kind of peace that will ning the war, should consider reached its destination in character of the Germany that ling by Verdun round the battalion was followed by were given the task of clearthe war is over. The people of the Kaiser's Reich were difficult northwards by Rouen to In the neighbour the Kaiser's Reich were difficult northwards by Rouen to In the neighbour the Cross Person of the Cross of t the Kaiser's Reich were difficult to negotiate with and more difficult engagement. The present gen
Neuve Chatelle.

The weather had broken, the Grand Bois de Cambron beyond.

The weather had broken, the battalion relieved the cult still to pin down to any engagement. The present gen
Neuve Chatelle.

The weather had broken, the battalion relieved the grand Bois de Cambron beyond.

In torrential rain, the of-the battalion relieved the ficers and men bivouacked in Black Watch and settled a wood, taking what shelter down to a meal of chicken ty of this operation, a demonstrated to allow Sunday opening of theatres in Britain.

This new step, announced by the Home Secretary, Mr H.

Morrison, in the House of Commons, enables a licensing author
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A wood, taking what shelter and egg. eration will be of an even more untrustworthy character and more determined than any preceding generation to assert the fantastic claims of German superiority over all races and nations.

Hitler is held up to the German people, and especially to German youth, as a deity. If he himself scoundrel. But whatever he be or is believed to be, the effect is the same upon the youth of Germany. For years their only mental and moral food has been that dished up by teachers who are sworn to teach nothing but Hitler and him glorified. What can be expected of children instructed by teachers who are bound by this oath?

we will train the youth of Ger- last." many that they grow up in your ideology, for your aims and you by the whole German system,

. It is said that forty years must clapse before a system of education can justly be judged. That to the world.

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When Hitler started his blitzkrieg, the gigantic wheeling movement of his armies through Holland, Belgium and Luxembourg pivoted on the position held by the 51st Division at the north end of the Maginot Line proper.

ing around Remeling the hearts by the men who fought so brilliantly and gallantly at Gordons were unaware that St Valery last year. the Nazis had been sweeping across the Low Countries.

Only when they had left against metal. the "Maginot" and had assembled in a big wood near Metzervisse with other units of the 51st Division did they receive an inkling of the desperate situation that had arisen.

By this time, the Nazi "Panzer" divisions had hundreds of cows and all to silence the gun. The driven their way through the hundreds of cows and an to suche the year. The screening fire, Ardennes and broken the their poultry. The chance small party had evidently screening fire. In a light rather than the second second advancing to the sight of a rich feast was not been seen advancing to the on the night. French line at Sedan. Phone 27778-9

> rushed to the vicinity of ken and fresh milk and one of the shells, which fell reported that machine-guns Verdun. It was intended Stores were replenished the fate of their N.C.O., the the wood. that they should be used to with chickens and eggs three men charged towards. Waiting for their first

which the members of the ordered to another front.

During the last days of even in the midst of the May, when other Gordon heaviest fighting. Many from Abbeville, in front of first light of dawn started to battalions were fighting animals, such as rabbits in the village of Cahou. around Dunkirk before em-hutches and dogs chained to barking the Highland Divi-kennels were starving. The sion was moving across soldier released them. France to the Somme to As the dogs hovered French to drive the Germans stem the advance of the around the camp looking for back had had little success. German spearhead which scraps of food, the men Now the 51st Division had A POISONED GENERATION was heading rapidly towards adopted them as pets and been given an eighteen-mile gave them what tasty mor-front on the river, from

sels they had over from Erondelle to the sea. their feast of fowl. Un- As a German offensive By a tediously long railfollow the war than about win- way journey the battalion more seriously than they do the two-and-a-half days, travelwill have to be dealt with when south of Paris, and then

they could under the trees. and egg. From there, they marched sixty miles in three nights. But the whine of bullets unusual density. So thick is tricts where there are troops or By day they slept in woods interrupted their enjoyment the undergrowth that it is a large number of munition Every time they camped it of the meal. They were be-impossible to see more than with the exception of plays prorained continuously. Buting sniped from a machine-a dozen feet ahead. the men never groused at the gun post which the Germans German machine-gun on Sundays for 160 years, since the discomfort.

One night they reached a that it had to be tackled im-strongly established thembelieves that, he is a man of small, completely deserted mediately. disordered brain. If he does village. The civilian popula- Corporal Shepherd was Tommy guns had been in assistance it can get. not, he is a blasphemous tion had left behind them sent forward with three men stalled in almost every bush

COMEONE remarked to me the Then came Norway, and for the Italian advance and rolled it

Someone remarked to the the solution of the control learning! Even a week or two of I am not going to name them most of us are more confident Mr Albery added. news bulletins and papers should for you. Do it yourself—if you about the whereabouts of teach him more than we ever can! Somehow we seemed to Benghazi and Tobruk-even of knew. This generation should know a little more about France Derna and Bardia. But can we "Adolf Hitler, we swear that be better informed than the and Holland and Belgium, so go further back than that with the leisure for entertainment. perhaps their names stick better, out stopping to think?

I agreed. Then I bogan to wonder. We seem to have both . your will. This is pledged to since September of 1939. As M. Forrest Mill out of papers at the time, and remember half agreeing with a each country came into the lime- But could you put your finger friend who said scornfully, "But liar as our own. But if we Valery? learnt readily, we have forgotten nearly as readily.

manner of man that system has over maps and talked of places freedom is enjoyed, and by mass towns in Poland could you name than we are.

production a type of human offhand and could you place them Finnish war,

## By

Geography Up To Date

remember half agreeing with a of education, from the primary light, its names became as fami-unerringly on, for instance, St do you need those to make you remember where the places

Do you remember, when Pothan the younger generation. But now I could not. is, one must writ to see what land was attacked, how we pored There seem to have been so matter on such irrelevent details

being is turned out which is accurately on the map? Finland Even the names which were round the sun? So why should which was inspired by the Communist developed only on one side, with- meant a lot, too. But now Hel- so prominent in the first Greek I waste energy trying to remem- Party and which lies under the grave out any corrective or restraint to sink is the only name that leaps advance are forgotten as they ber the exact whereabouts of suspicion of secking to exploit wara pursuit which can bring to my mind, and we had all advance, yet farther. What was Hamm? The R.A.F. know just a pursuit which can bring to my minu, and we had all advances by the first important place they where it is, and that is the main purposes of Communism. In a statement said be had captured when they stemmed thing!

through the wood, which is

about three-quarters of a On one side of the wood, to the left of the Gordons vas a clump of trees, which

was believed to be free of the enemy.

and covered all the roaths

Round the wood, the undulating countrysidé was covered with long corn and hedgerows, proving admir-Of all the units in the British Army, the 51st is the most able cover while the batIn the midst of the fight-feared by the Nazis. The awesome reputation of the kilted talion waited for zero hour.

Two companies, "B" and "C," were to make the at-The epic part played by the Gordon Highlanders in the tack, with "D" Company Battle of France is told here in the living impressions of the following through to allow men who suffered and survived in that sombre drama of men "B" to move out to the left of the wood when the objec-This instalment tells how the Gordons' were moved from the Maginot Line to the Estuary of the Somme to stem the tide tives had been taken. "A" Company was to remain in reserve.

On the right of the Gor-Zero Hour Strikes dons, the Black Watch were also to attack, but the Seaforths on the left were ordered to maintain their positions and keep up a

In a light rain which fell allowed to slip. Foraging attack, and a German trench on the night of June 3 With the Highland Divi-parties were organised and mortar opened fire. Cor-patrols went out to reconsion, the battalion was every man had duck or chic-poral Shepherd was killed by noitre the ground. They Varennes, north-west of eggs for supper that night. close to him. Undaunted by were posted on the fringe of

stop the German break-which lasted for several the haystack. Before they big-scale attack, the men of through at Montmedy. days. could reach it, however, the "B" and "C" Companies lay But the Dunkirk evacua- Before they left the vil-German gunners bolted, among the long corn and betion had started. Plans were lage, the men performed a leaving their machine-gun hind hedges slightly to the changed. The Division was little humanitarian service behind them. were moved into position at Machine - guns occasionally B.E.F. never forgot to do were moved into position as stuttered. A ground mist about twelve kilometres was lifting just before the penetrate the edge of the

TO-MORROW:

Germans Routed At **Bayonet Point** 

## SUNDAY THEATRE HAILED

when the march was re-cided upon for the morning sumed next morning the of June 4. The Gordons "The greatest step forward in the history of the theatre since ing le Grand Bois and ad-Gielgud, the actor, described the In the neighbourhood of vancing to another wood decision to allow Sunday opening

> scription of the Grand Bois ity to permit Sunday opening of is necessary. It is a wood of theatres and music halls in dis-

duced by special societies there had cunningly concealed in posts had been dug on the Sunday Observance Act of 1781.

### On Equal Footing

The new regulation puts the theatre on a footing with the films selves. Storm-troopers with and other forms of entertainment at a time when it is in need of all the Mr Gielgud said that the new decision would enable managements

to embark with assurance on new productions, giving employment to Mr Bronson Albery, who controls the New Theatre, Wyndham's and the Criterion, said he had no doubt that Sunday opening was

now a foregone conclusion in the West End and the suburbs. "Generally speaking, I should say that most theatres' will decide to 'close on Mondays, but possibly in

come cases Fridays will be fixed," Actors and actresses welcome the new regulation, as it provides for a

six-day week and performances on the day on which most people have

## Pritt Not To Resign

M.P. for North Hammersmith, And I do not believe that we At the time I felt I could have asked by the local Labour Party adults are any more ignorant drawn those maps from memory. to resign his seat will not do so. The North Hammersmith Labour, Is this a disgraceful confes- Party says that Mr Pritt: "now remanner of man that system has over maps and talked of places many things to think of during is this a disgraceful confest presents neither the party nor the produced in a people who are free to think as they will. Under the nounce and had never heard of think that the average intelligible formula is this a disgraceful confest presents neither the party nor the produced in a people who are free we did not know how to protect these busy months, and I do not know. Didn't views of the overwhelming majority nounce and had never heard of think that the average intelligible should be any wiser detectives, refuse to waste grey in the executives' statement said:

Nazi tyranny, however, no such before? But now—how many gent child would be any wiser metter on such irrelevent details. "Recently Mr. Pritt has come into "Recently Mr Pritt has come into. prominence by his participation in as the fact that the earth moves the so-called 'People's' Convention,' time discomforts of the people for the no intention of resigning his sent.

Labour Party Views Mr D. N. Pritt, K.C., Labour

## THE FOLLOWING FULL REPORT OF HITLER'S SPEECH DELIVERED

LONDON, May 4 (Reuter).--After stating the German was broken. version of the origin of the war,

and destroyed. ed I should make yet another appeal to common sense and the conscience of those statesmen. On October 6, suit that the British began to stated that Germany had demanded nor intended to demand anything either from Britain or France, and that it was madness to genisations and finally a continuous stream of ships that went back and forth.

Ilis warning, he said, was not taken seriously enough with the relative taken seriously enough with the rela

appeal also met with almost indign- to Mr Churchill's idea, was to be ant rejection. The British war- landed in Greece in the course of a mongers and their Jewish capitalistic few weeks, backers could find no other explanation of this appeal which I made on humanitarian grounds, than the

#### Norway's Past

"At that time, the Norwegian this war. Government was misled by the As soon as there could be no fur-

people. There was no doubt that the disposal for the purpose. most serious threat to Germany.

there plans, increased pressure was struggle against Greece would be visiting Japan than by my going to remaining bases continuously so that cover confinement expenses. Belgium and Holland. The aim was conclusion. to advance the front to the Rhine, Why Nazi Troops Were There thus threatening to paralyse German iron and steel production centres. Greatest Battle

annihilation in the history of the Balkans. world.

German Reichstag and again selzed friendly relations with Yugo-Slavia to make peace. I made it perfectly coming involved in a Balkan wor. clear, however,, in the light of past | He proised the practical attitude of experiences, that such hope could Turkey's leaders in preserving her only he small."

After attacking "Jewish democratic own resolution. warnings against this specific type of coup which caused Churchill to utter evacuated address in Devon. aerial warfare.

Assurances Disregarded "My assurance that from the given a hundredfold failed to induce this Yugo-Slavia because it was imposman to consider even for an instant sible for anyone to treat the German Bureau. the criminal nature of his actions."

mination to retaliate for British raids plan of the campaign against Yugoon Germany if necessary with 100 Slavia and Greece in co-operation Major Baseball bombs for every British one dropped with the Italian Army after a genuntil the British nation gets rid of eral agreement had been secured Churchill. Referring to Mr Churchill's state- He said that Mr Churchill had al-

ment to Parliament last Thursday, leged that the Greek campaign had Hitler declared that it could only be cost Germany 75,000 lives which were described as "symptomatic of a more than double the losses of the paralytic disease or the ravings of whole western campaign. a drunkard."

Balkan Theatre

into a theatre of war as early as the booty cannot even be approximately winter of 1939-40. "The sudden estimated at present. collapse, we witnessed in May and June last year caused these plans to temporarily abandoned. autumn last year, Churchill began to tackle this problem once again.

political scheme,"

contrary, the Reich had always en- S.S. troops took part in the actual Battery: Smith, Brown, Hemsley. deavoured to build up and strengthen fighting.

one thing, if indeed there was any this campaign were the "smallest we swift, question of political interest, namely, have ever suffered so far." in seeing that internally her business. Italy had more than carned any Cincinnati Thompson, Riddell, Hutchings. partner was established on a sound territorial and political influence she west. and healthy basis.

Greece and Rumania

guarantees to Rumania and Greece the Axis. and said that Rumania had to pay bitterly for the guarantee which was calculated to estrange her from the States. Hitler continued: "When to-Axis powers.

give way to British persuasion to link matement that the German people fough. Pressnell, Passeau, McCuland orders.

leadership.

trality in the late summer of 1940, resistance;

Why Reich Kept Contact Hitler paid tribute to the brave "I can only assure you that I look Hitler said that a 1ew weeks after its outbreak, the Polish State, which had been reckless enough to allow itself to be used for the financial interests of warmongers, was annihilated warmongers, wa Hitler said that a few weeks resistance offered by Greek soldiers, into the "future with perfect not passively allow a slow revival world."

"Just as the appeal on September stream of transports brought equip-1939, proved vain, this renewed ment for an army which, according

#### Italian Reverses

The reverse suffered by the Italian assumption of weakness on the part Army in North Africa, owing to certain material inferiority in their "They declared that on no account tanks and anti-tank guns, finally led must such a pence be made until the Mr Churchill to believe that the time German Reich was broken up and was ripe to transfer the theatre of the German people so defeated and war from Libya to Greece, convinced U reduced to such distress that they that he could now proceed to carry would queue up beside the field out the coup which would imkitchens of their enemies begging for mediately set the Balkans aflame. Thus did Churchill commit one of

the greatest strategic blunders of

stubborn insistence of Churchill's ther doubt regarding Britain's inten-appropriate for President Roosevelt prophecies, and had already begun to tion to gain a foothold in the Balkans, or Mr Cordell Hull to come to Tokyo toy with the idea of a British landing Hitler said that he took steps to as- to learn about the conditions existing through on the left flank, the Army semble the necessary forces for the in the Orient. "It was thanks to Churchill's and purpose of counter-attacking any Reynaud's tendencies to gossip that possible tricks. This action was not Americans and I can grasp the real German Government gained directed against Greece and Mus- situation now existing in the United knowledge of the plans being made solini did not even request him to States; but I doubt whether President against the Reich and the German place a single German division at his Roosevelt or Mr Hull can grasp the landing grounds they used at the

British design or Norway was the Mussolini was convinced, and he was of the same opinion, that with problems could be more easily solve! "Immediately after the failure of the advent of good weather, the by President Roosevelt or Mr Hull "xerted by British war-mongers on brought to a speedy and successful the United States." he said.

The concentration of German forces, there, was not made for the "On May 1, 1940, the enemy efforts purpose of assisting the Italians were broken up in a few days and the against Greece but as a precautionary stage was set for operations which measure against a British attempt to culminated in the greatest battle of strengthen themselves secretly in the

Hitler then elaborated upon the "On July 19, 1940, I convened the efforts he had made to establish the opportunity of urging the world in an endeavour to prevent her beindependence and carrying out her lected nearly 100,000.

his joyous words that at last he had something good to report.

### Order To Attack Serbs

Reich this way." Hitler reiterated Germany's deter- Hitler described in detail the main London Council for Social Service. both with Italy and Hungary.

The number of Englishmen, New, Zenlanders and Australians taken He then accused Mr Churchill of prisoner exceeds 9,000 omcers and planning to transform the Balkans men, he declared, adding that the

### Booty Taken

The share of booty due to the German forces, according to present estimates, amounts to 500,000 rifles. many thousands of machine-guns,

Hitler then gave what he described For the operations in the southeast, Battery: Beckman, Ferrill, Wagner, Bolicy in the Balkans" in which he set apart, of which two infantry and Battery: Hallett, Groves, Haynes, Tresh, said that the Reich never pushed they. Alpine divisions, six tank divisions of the Battery: Hallett, Groves, Haynes, Tresh, and the Reich never pushed they.

|had obtained by the very great sacri- Philadelphia ...... 3 6 fices in blood she had made since Battery: Hughes, Warren. Hitler referred to the British October last year for the future of nevery: M. Cooper, Shoun,

Hint To America Referring presumably to the United Pittsburgh Battery: Heintzelman, Lopez.

States, Hitler continued: "When today the democratic agitators of a Battery: Hamlin, Swift, Grissom, Owen. her destiny, with that of a country intended to do so is nothing but an New York ...... 9 13 which provided her King with cash absurd lie, are threatening to choke the National Socialist people and "Even to-day, I feel that I must state which have become irksome to distinguish between the Greek people them, by the force of their capitalisand that thin top layer of corrupt the system and their material producleaders who were inspired by a king tion, then there can only be one answho was subscruient to Britain and wer. The German people will never had no eye for the duty of true again experience a year such as 1918 who depend on the skill of chemists The famous Cockatoo Island. yard

Italy felt called upon to make pro- "They will profess more fanatical- against luxury articles." posals to the Greek Government and ly than ever the axiom Neither force | Hairdressers are forecasting a re- Adelaide and Williamstown, with gether with the reservoir of new tondemand guarantees that would tend of arms nor time will over make us volution in hairdressing styles also experience of building ships in the nage in U.S.A., are an important to put an end to conditions which yield, let alone break up. They because of the great hairpin shortage. last war, still possess expert labour, addition, increasing month by month, Italy could no longer tolerate. This will, therefore, maintain superiority They predict a return to the shingle . The equipment of the Common to the growing expansion of Britain's

The Future 🦠

## Matsuoka Makes A Suggestion

TOKYO, May 4 (Reuter).-Disearding suggestions that he should British air forces in Greece scored go to the United States, Mr Yosuke perhaps the greatest triumph of six Matsuoka, the Japanese Foreign Minister, in un interview at Kyoto, asserted that it would be far more

true situation in the Far East.

"I believe that Japanese-American

## HOMELESS BUREAU

The Homeless Bureau in Baylev Street. off Bedford Square, damaged in the air and on the the Diet following further improve-London, which started in October ground. with ten addresses, has now col-

People are writing from as far capitalism," Hitler continued: "Euro- After repeating facts in relation to away as Canada to inquire about pean and American war-mongers the adherence of Yugo-Slavia to the relatives. A rancher who read succeeded once again in befogging Three Power Pact, Hitler said that the sound commonsense of the masses on March 25, 1941, he left Vienna of heavy bombing in the district Even my warning against the night truly happy because he believed that where his mother used to live, hombing of civilian population was at the last moment German inter- sought news about her. He got interpreted as a sign of German im- vention in the Balkans might become a reply by return, giving her potence. Again and again I uttered superfluous when "I heard of the

soon as evacuees arrive in a recep- in the first application of the law tion area from counties in the South- empowering Marshal Petaln to withbombs would be returned if necessary "I at once gave orders to attack East, the local authority sends the draw the nationality of French citinew address at once to the Homeless zens abroad who by acts, speeches

## Detroit Trounce :

## Yankees

NEW YORK, May 4 (UP).--Baseball Leagues to-day was the fighter pilots. 10-1 victory of the Detroit Tigers over the New York Yankees in the American circuit. Complete scores were:

AMERICAN LEAGUE tackle this problem once again.

"Meantime, however, certain dif- anti-aircraft weapons, trench .morneulties had arisen as a result of tars, numerous vehicles and large Battery; Breuer, Peek, Dickey.
Rumania dropping out of England's quantities of ammunition and equipBattery; Newsom, Sullivan.

Hattery: Newsom, Sullivan.

close economic ties with these states. The losses to the German army St Louis ..... Battery: Grube, Peacock.

The Reich was only interested in and air force as well as S.S. troops in Battery: R. Harris, Kramer, Newlin, NATIONAL LEAGUE

## War May Recall

Battery: Melton, Danning.

Government's restrictive orders out two large; and several small down the ways.

of armament and in no circumstances or page boy bob, wealth to handle the engineering side own war-time fleet of merchantmen.

## TO THE REICHSTAG WAS RECEIVED IN HONGKONG THIS MORNING: Gallant Role by R.A.F. In Greece Evacuation

LONDON, May 4 (Reuter).—The great part played by the Royal Air Force in the withdrawal of the Empire force from

Thousands of men and women, it says, were evacuated by nd destroyed.

nd destroyed.

"In these circumstances, I consider. Great War."

The second continuous stream of the Great War."

"In these circumstances, I consider. Great War."

"In the second circumstances, I consider. Great War."

-Ail:day-and-all-night-aircraft-of every type—bombers, flying boats, training machines and civil aircraft packed to capacity with human cargo -flew to safety and returned for

The R.A.F. has countless stories of gallantry to tell of the evacuation. Ships Guarded

and women brought away by air thousands more were guarded as they S. Visit To Japan made the journey in big and little Personnel of no longer existing

In addition to thousands of mer

though the R.A.F. suffered heavy lusses, the enemy suffered far greater. Air Bases Lost

When, owing to the enemy breakcommanders decided to withdraw to "I studied in America; I know a new line, the R.A.F. suffered the severest blow of the campaign. They were forced back to two or three bases only and the odd temporary start. All the new aerodromes which had been built were lost or were too close to the enemy lines to be used. The enemy hammered at the few

it became impossible to obtain replacements of aircraft. Nevertheless, the enemy forces. Six Months' Campaign

Details of the campaign before Another important feature is the

## Deprived Of Nationality

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" or writings seek to impede Petain's The Bureau was started by the national revolution or pursue a policy liable to harm French nationals.

### Veteran Airmen To Train Malayans

certificates in Malayan flying clubs band, died later. and upon the outbreak of war joined | It was stated that he was suffering the Royal Air Force in Singapore, from spinal fever.

Luftwaffe raiding London.

## Shipping Hold-Up

## Labour Shortage

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" TOKYO, May 3 (Domei),-The lengthening of the present maximum working day to 12 hours in view of the shortage of labour and in order to effect a speeding-up of the national shipbuilding industry; was jointly proposed by the Commerce and Welfare Ministries at the Cabinet meet-

ing on Friday. It is expected that the plan will be adopted after the Government confers with shipbuilding leaders and Navy officials from May 7 to 16, at Tokyo, Nagoya, Osaka and Kukuoka.

Boosting Birthrate SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" TOKYO, May 3 (Domei).—For the encouragement of bigger and better families, the Welfare Ministry's Social Insurance Bureau is planning the grant of 20 year as a bonus for each birth in addition to 30 yea to

Health insurance benefits are vastly increased under the Ministry's the available planes took off at all plan which boosts the number of times and inflicted great damage on those eligible from the present 650,-000 to 1,000,000 salary carners by including all earning below Yen 150

Germany invaded Greece show that wiping out of time limits for accident at the end of six months of arduous and sickness benefits. The new meafighting against Italy, R.A.F. bombers sures consequently will allow payhad carried out more than 300 raids ments to continue until full recovery and nearly 300 enemy aircraft were has been made, regardless of the confirmed as destroyed in the air be- length of time required. The Bureau sides the huge total of aircraft stated that the Bill will be sent to ments in its contents.

### Soviet Ships For China Seas

CHUNGKING, May 5 News).-Nine Soviet steamers will VICHY, May, 4 (UP).—By a decree soon ship articles of daily necessity issued to-day, Marshal Petain has from Vladivostok to Shanghai, and a deprived Eve Curie, Henry Bernstein | Soviet shipping company will also be The quick reply was made possible and 27 others of their French citizen- organised to undertake shipping in by the system of centralisation. As ship, and confiscated their properties the China Sea, including the transportation of rice and coal to Shanghai, Isays a Shanghai report.

Price of rice, coal and other commodities in the port city are expected to drop considerably, if the Soviet shipping project is realised.

## How Teddy Joyce Found Fame

leader, who collapsed in Glasgow re-Malayan pilots who gained their cently after performing with his

are to be sent to a fighter squadron! He was a Canadian, and his real now stationed in Malaya, which is name was Edmund John Cuthbertequipped with speedy. Brewster son. He was originally an eccentric Outstanding victory in the Major Buffalo fighters, to be trained as dancer, but in the hands of Louis K. Sidney, to whom he owed his career, They will be taught by experienced jumped into fame as a conductor. fighter pilots-shy young Britishers For four years as a young man he who not so very long ago were carned £275 a week personal salary. hurling their Spitfires and Hur- After working in Hollywood he ricanes at hordes of the German went to England and formed his own orchestra.

## Hongkong's Big Part In Supplying Empire Ships

Hongkong's two big shipbuilding yards are working hand in hand with other shipbuilders in the Empire to supply cargo vessels for the merchant fleet.

Both the Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co., Ltd and the Taikoo Dockyard are building handy cargo carriers up to 5,000 tons. The former last year built not only the hull of a fast modern cargo boat, but also her main propelling engines, the largest marine power unit which has come out of this part of the world.

equal to the best of the West. dock are most valuable to-day when shipping goes round the Cape instead | Canada has now more than of through Sucz.

has greatly extended her shipbuild-shipbuilding and repairing establish-Thousands of women in Britain to build ships of up to 12,000 tons. Quebec, Montreal and Vancouver, vessels simultaneously. Both Port These ships from the Empire, to-

India, ancient builder of ships, for shipbuilding is shown by the is preparing to launch vessels orders to the value of £250,000 for marine propelling engines and Although South Africa has no real in Queensland.

## Canada's Role

doubled the 4.000 skilled workers In the last 18 months, Australia employed before the war in her 40 ing resources. A new shippard, em- ments. Contracts for 18 merchant ploying 2,000 men, is being estab- vessels, each of 9,300 tons carrying lished at Whyalla, South Australia, capacity, have just been placed in

but will rise to still higher achieve- to keep their golden tresses golden can build four ships at one time, It is expected that in about a year's "As a result of violations of neu- ments in all branches of national are being "blacked out" by the while Mort's Dock, Sydney, can turn time the first of them will be sent



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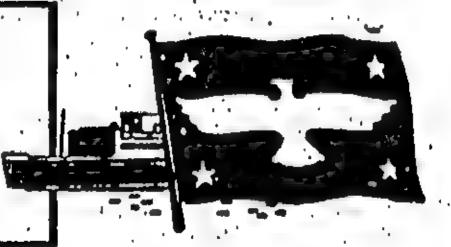
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## After-thoughts Of Badminton Season

## New Scoring System Suggested For League

Summer Plans For Improvement

(By ("Tinker")

THE TUMULT and the shouting having died, badminton players reflect back pridefully on another successful season having concluded. There is no doubt about this. Attendance at the Championships, which in any sport is the criterion, shows a new record in numbers as was mentioned by the President of the Association, Mr S. A. Gray, at the recent prize distribution.

Greatest contributory factor to this, outside the attraction of the game itself, has been the efforts of the Hon. Secretary, Mr M. Talan. The organisation of the League and the Championships has worked without a hitch. The Press may have done its bit, but in dealing with an official of Mr Talan's character, it is always a pleasure to oblige.

Colony has been afforded matches of year St John's will be in that Divia standard never before seen here. The nucleus of stars from the University of Hongkong-K. W. of affairs, the following suggestion Choy, P. K. Hool H. F. Chew, has been made for scoring: M. P. Yoong, K. B. Low and Miss Ulian Khoo-have mingled with local luminaries-P. H. Wong, C. Au, F. Keh, M. A. Oliveira, H. C. Eardley, Miss M. M. Silva, Miss M. A. Xavier, Miss M. Ribeiro, Mrs Torrible, Mrs Zimmern and Mrs O. Silva-to create a spectacular whole.

The University have taken every senior title, and not surprisingly they ensily won the Senior Divisional championship. The greater interest, perhaps, was wrapped up in the Second Division. Here St John's took the absolute championship when they beat Chung Hwn in the playoff-they being the winners of the "B" and "A" Sections, respectively.

#### St John's Strength

**PUT** there's a story behind St D John's victory, and it is one which. I think, makes more acceptable a new system of scoring that | has been suggested.

winning team of 1940 H. C. Eardley minton social evenings. most probably would not be available owing to his Naval duties, while

meeting to allow St John's to remain competition? They would have been in the Junior Division for five games without games, for I doubt if they -and should they win those five would have had the courage to enter games they would be promoted to the the senior tournament. First Division.

They wen four and lost one playmaking any special efforts, was greater number of juniors who need able to turn out for them in most encouragement. of their matches, and they, consequently, were carried through on the

sional Championship on their own.

New Scoring System

As regards the Championships, the I sion, and there is no doubt that next sion. But to prevent a similar state

> That the result of a match be decided upon the total number of points obtained by each

> The strength of any team then would be like that of a chain-that of its weakest link, and if the weakest are unable to collect, say, double figures in points each match. It is not likely that against a better balanced side the stronger players will be able to make up the difference. The more-balanced side, therefore, would have a more even chance of winning,

### Summer Suggestions

TUNIORS are the mainstay of any game, and in badminton it is hoped that further en-St John's were slated to be pro- couragement will be given to moted into the Senior Division for these players. For the summer the recently concluded season. But months, the suggestion is made tion they pointed out that of the to all Clubs to hold monthly bad-

Had it not been for the Junior Frank Kwok had gone over to Kow- Doubles championship this year, there loon Tong. They asked, therefore might have been an increase in the to be allowed to remain in the Junior Senior Doubles to ten pairs, but what have happened to the remaining 14 It was decided by vote at that pairs that did take part in the junior

Admittedly, some of the junior ing against some of the weaker players were weak, but their very teams of the Section. -The vote at appearance on the court is encourage the subsequent meeting of the As- ment to others to enter. This year, sociation was in favour of St John's the Colony has been very fortunate remaining in the Junior Division. In that there are so many new, As it turned out, Eardley, without players here, but there are a far

These social evenings, at which the efforts of their two top pairs only! courts would be thrown open to all K.F.C. (64)
Their third pair was very weak, badminton players, would do much C.C.C. (67)
towards entising more of these K.C.C. (56) Thus there is the position of two towards enticing more of these strong pairs being able to win a Divi- younger players on to the court; and once the start is made, it will be all for the greater good of Badminton in Hongkong, for it would inevitably lead to a greater number of entries THERE is no doubt that these two for the Junior competitions next - pairs are worthy of the First Divi- year.

Officials and winners of the Hongkong Badminton Championships.

Standing: Messrs Jack Shepherd, W. C. Choy, A. L. Fisher, HongkongC.C. P. Wynter-Blyth, P. H. Wong, D. Kwok, D. Hazel, S. A. Gray HongkongC.C. (President), M. Talan (Hon. Secretary).

Seated: Miss U. Khoo, Mr H. F. Chew, Mr P. K. Hooi, Mrs Mixed Doubles Zimmern, Mrs Torrible, Mrs Castro, Mr. K. W. Choy, Mr K. B. Low, Mr C. J. Tacchi.

## LAWN BOWLS LEAGUE OFFICIAL OPENING

Recreio Beat Craigengower By Narrow Margin Of One Shot

THE LAWN BOWLS LEAGUE made its official opening and Mrs Torrible (-15) v. B. O'M. Deane and Mrs J. Smalley (-3.6) (Stand Court). on Saturday with a full programme of matches, outstanding feature of which was the defeat of Craigengower, rivals of old, by the Club de Recreio by one shot. Coincidentally, the Valley Second team lost by the same margin to the Prison Officers, newly promoted from the Third Division.

Yesterday a most enjoyable match was played at the Kowloon Cricket Club when the Volunteers Sergeants' Mess beat the home side by eight shots.

The new system of scoring came into operation, but only in the Third Division were any teams able to collect two points. These were the Hongkong F.C. who lost on two rinks to the Kowloon F.C., though the third rink was able to collect a winning margin for the match, and the Club de Recreio who only beat the Hongkong C.C. on one rink but managed to win the match.

Scores in brief were

_	FIRST_	_DIVISION	
,	C.S.C.C. (01)	315 Kowloon C.C. (53)	11
	Recreio (52) K.B.G.C. "B" (60)' K. Docks (35)	4 C.C.C. (51)	17
	K. Docks (35)	1 K.B.G.C. "A" (63)	4
۱,	I.R.C. (68)	4 Police (56)	í

SECOND DIVISION

1 P.O.C. (68) 135 K. Tong (60) 1 H.K.C.C. (53) Recreio (64) .

THIRD DIVISION 3 K.F.C. (54) 414 I.R.C. (63)

Recreio (60) K.B.G.C. (60) Only one seven was scored, and that by R. Duncan (K.B.G.C.) against Recreio "B" in the First Division.

## SPORTS ADVT.

## JOCKEY CLUB

Whirlaway Sets Record ING will be held, weather permitting, on SATURDAY, 10th MAY, 1941, commencing at 2.00 p.m. The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS, ENCLOSURE No One without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure Such must be worn throughout the duration of each Meeting in such a manner as to be readily identified.

SECRETARY upon the personal or written application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and handliy.

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Batting, ist XI,—E. F. Fincher. Bowling.

Batting, 2nd XI,—F. J. Lay. Bowling.—

R. Baldwin.

R. Baldwin. for payment of all chits, etc.

"Times are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 4 Boy (Tel.)

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By Order,

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C. B. BROWN,

Secretary.

Hongkong 5th May 1941

At odds respectively of 2 to 1 and 5 to 2.

Other odds earlier were: Whirlaway 5/1; Dispose 6/1; Robert Morris 10/1; Blue Pair 15/1; Little Beans 20/1; Marketwise 25/1.

Porter's Cap, which finished fourth in the race, had won the \$50,000 Santa Anita Handlesp and holds the fastest work-out time for the mile and quarter.

The winner of the race gets about which it was his duty to collect.

# Final To-day

### Open Finals On Wednesday And Friday The finals of the Colony Singles

and Doubles Championship, the Club Championship and Club Handicap events will take place this week on the Hongkong Cricket Club courts, weather permitting. The programme is as follows:

To-Mostow

Club Handicap Singles, semi-final.—G. W. Sewell (-4.6) v. T. J. Gould (15.2) (Stand Court). Club Handleap Doubles, semi-final.— C. H. R. Oxiade and A. H. Barwell (-15.2) y. R. H. Binke and H. C. D. Knight (3.6)

Wednesday

Open Singles, final.—Tsui Wai-pui v. Tsui Yan-pui (Stand Court).
Club Handleap Doubles, final.—Oxlade and Barwell or Blake and Knight v. T. C. Monaghan and T. J. Gould (-15.2) (8). Thursday THE Volunteer Sgis-Rowloon

Club Championship, final,—C. H. R. Oxiade v. M. Pagh (holder) (Stand Court).

Open Doubles, final—S. A. and H. D. Rumjahn (holders) v. Tsui Wai-pui and Tsui Yan-pui (Stand Court).

### K.C.C. PRIZE DISTRIBUTION

### Impromptu Concert

DISTRIBUTION of prizes for the past season took place at the Kowloon Cricket Club on Saturday night. Mrs E. C. Fincher, wife of the Club Captain, presented the winners with their awards.

A good gathering of members indulged in an impromptu concert prior to the prize distribution, and a very enjoyable evening was spent. The following was the prize list:

Lawn Bowls

Club Championship.—Winner, J. Fraser;
Runner-up, A. W. Ramsey,
Handicap Singles.—Winner, R. T. Broadbridge; Runner-up, J. Fraser,
Handicap Pairs.—Winners, F. Goodwin
and R. S. Meadow; Runners up, G. E.
Taylor and J. Hempsey,
Roger Lindsell Cup.—Winner, E. Kern;
Rummer-up, F. Goodwin,
Tyro Competition.—Winner, R. T. Broadbridge; Runner-up, W. W. Parsons,
Jack Hirst Shields.—J. Hempsey, A. H.
Martin, L. Jack and A. W. Ramsey (akip),

Billiards and Snooker

Senior Championship, Winner, J. H. S. Duncan; Runner-up, E. G. Curtis, Junior Championship, Winner, A. E. Carey; Runner-up, A. H. Martin, Snooker, Winner, J. R. Luke; Runnerup, A. H. Martin.

## Owing to the long spell of wet

which it was his duty to collect,

## Sappers Beat Canadians In First Baseball Game

## Forum Nose Out Canucks In Softball's Final "Hate"

THE ROYAL ENGINEERS opened their baseball season with a great victory over the Canadians at Caroline Hill on Saturday, clouting in five runs in the 1st and 3rd frames and holding the Canucks to three singles tallies. in the 1st, 2nd and 6th.

Yesterday, 'Softball's final game—the annual classic between the Hongkong English Forum and the Canadian Chinese -resulted in a 8-2 win for the latter, the issue being decided in the last inning only.

Softball's Canadians belted in one in the 3rd and another in the 5th. The Forumers were held blank over these frames, and only in the sixth Margie Woo and Lal Blk-wong conmoving. Two runs in the sixth and then the winner in the seventh-all the College girls scored five to on passed balls-brought them a win climax the run-around, that puts them 3-2 ahead in this annual fight. Scores in brief were.

BASEBALL Canadians: SOFTBALL

## JACK DOYLE: "I WAS SOLD LIKE A RACEHORSE"

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#### Bankruptcy Examination

JACK DOYLE, the boxer and singer, attending London Bankruptcy Court for his public examination, stated that his contract was so worded that If he opened a taxi door and received a 6d tip, 25 per cent, of it would have to be paid over.

Questioned about part of his manager's percentage of purses for fights being sold, Mr Doyle said: "I was sold like a racehorse. I was just a child then and did not know much

His liabilities amounted to £1,-689 and he had no assets. Mr Doyle stated that he had his mother dependent on him. "I gave her at least £8 a week," he explain-ed. "I have supported her all my

Mr A. L. West, Senior Official Receiver: However nice it is to live in this way, do you realise it is wrong and unjustifiable?-My ex- trumpets, the Cricket season made a penses are heavy everywhere I go. modest beginning to-day, with several spend a lot each week.

Mr Doyle said he would pay over The examination was closed,

## Girls Match

AT STUBBS ROAD, on Saiurday, Canton's Truelight College girls swamped Chung Hwa 11-2, proving that the schoolgirls are all set for the League next year. Yvonne Poon clouted in a homer for Chung Hwa, and in reply nected for non-stop circuit trips. In the final innings of the game,

## Poor Cash Sweep Prizes At Macao

MACAO, May 4.—Results of the eash sweeps, in to-day's racing-

Unplaced pony (\$20,90): No. 504. Third Race

Unplaced pony (\$46.30): No. 314. Fourth Race

Unplaced pony (\$46.90): No. 358. Fifth Race No. 04703

Unplaced ponies (\$108.15 each): Nos., 04142, 01502, 23690, 06469, 10344, 06201, 09011, 22436, 15260, 20472, 21106,—Our Our Cor-

## Home Cricket Makes a Start

London, May 3.
Instead of the usual heralding with minor matches.

The London Fire Service, taking a well-earned relaxation, again stole the to his trustee what money he could limelight by opening the season at for creditors.

Lord's against Reading University, who won by seven wickets.-Reuter.

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#### losing on the other three, and the final score turned out eight shots in the Sergeants' favour. Totals were Sgts 96, K.C.C. 88. R. S. Capell, E. C. Curtis, A. J. Kew and J. Fraser (K.C.C.) lost to C.Q.M.S.

Volunteer Sgts

Beat Kowloon C. C.

C.C. match was five rinks a side.

The home team scored on two,

Casey, Sgt Muskett, Sgt Carr and Sgt Sherriff, 17-26. A. E. Perry, R. T. Burch, F. Goodwin und E. C. Fincher beat Sgt Fowles, Sgt Geale, Sgt Zimmern and Sgt Meyer,

T. R. Hunter, C. W. Jeffries, N. A. E. Mackay and R. S. Mendows lost to C. S. M. Baskeit, P/M Mackie, Sgt Steven and B. S. M. Walker, 16-21.

G. Bowden, H. Langley, A. W. Smith and V. C. Labrum lost to S.Q.M.S.

Tribble, C.Q.M.S. Leigh, Sgt Lockhart and Sgt Rakusen, 18-22.

A. E. P. Guest, A. H. Martin, W. W. Parsons and T. A. Madar beat Sgt Bap-2 tista, Sgt J. D. Remedios, Sgt J. C Remedios and C.Q.M.S. Silva 10-13.

## **Favourites** Fail In

LOUISVILLE, Kentucky, May 3 (UP)—A crowd of 100,000, the largest ever to witness a horse race in North America, saw Mr War-ren Wright's Whirlaway win the Kentucky Derby to-day by eight lengths in the record time of two minutes one and two-fifths seconds, which broke the previous best time which broke the previous best time established in 1931 by two-fifths of a second.

Badges admitting Non-Members to Ridden by the veteran jockey, Eddle the Members' Enclosure and Club Arcaro, who rode Lawrin to his Derby Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and triumph in 1938, Whirlaway was held \$3.00 for Ladies (both including far back until the final turn, when tax) are obtainable through the Discourse in the field.

Starctor was second and Marketwise The Secretary's Office, 1st Floor, third.

Exchange Building, (Tel. 27794) will had been forecast.

Fast Track

Porter's Cap, owned by Mr C. S. Howard and the West's hope for the first Californian Deily winner, and Our Boots, which was last year's juvenile champion, were the outstanding choices at odds respectively of 2 to 1 and 5

By Ernie Bushmiller

### NANCY









## Nazi Fraus And French Charmers

According to the Berlin correpondent of the "Chicago Daily News," the latest-problem which faces the Nazi leaders is to convince the women of Germany that their husbands are not succumbing to the blandishments of the ladies of France.

An article in the current issue of the "Schwarzekorps" scolds irresponsible gossipers, and offers "relief and comfort to hearts which are unnecessarily tortured."

It says: "No, dear German women, there is nothing in the story of the warrior from the north who succumbs to the charms of the deceiving siren and, like Tannhauser in the Venusberg mountain, forgets his own home in the process."

German wives, the article adds, "know, of course, that their men would not behave improperly, but the worm gnaws at their hearts, and next time their men come home and do not sleep because the coffee they bring with them is too strong, then it is the charming French women who have appeared to them in their

## No More Ice Cream In Italy

Ice-cream and pastry are to be barred in Italy, and the ration of oil, butter and pork is to be cut to 12 ounces per person monthly. half the previous allowance.

meant as a comfort to the Italians for their loss.

"Letters of complaint have reached. me about the misuse of foodstuffs, especially of butter and fats" said the commentator. "Cannot we do without pastry? the letters ask. Certain pastry shops are the centres of attraction for the snobs of the feudal aristocracy and feudal interlectuals, and places where defeatist stories are spread. So say the letters.

### Palates Hit

"I feel like answering: Just you walt a little my good people, and you will see that the Government will meet your demands. The logical consequences of the restrictive use of futs has come, and pastries and icecream are forbidden. The palates of some people will be hit and also their special brand of irresponsibility.

"Conversations between people who manifest pessimism in all but in their appetites will be reduced. It has become impossible now for certain degenerates to satisfy their caprices.

## Juan Ready For Throne Of Spain

Prince Juan, heir-designate to the non-existent Spanish Throne, has declared formally his readiness to return to Spain as King when the day of restoration comes, reports Associated Press. from Rome, quoting Spanish royalist sources.

When the royalists met recently the Prince pledged himself to uphold the principles of his father, the late Alfonso XIII.

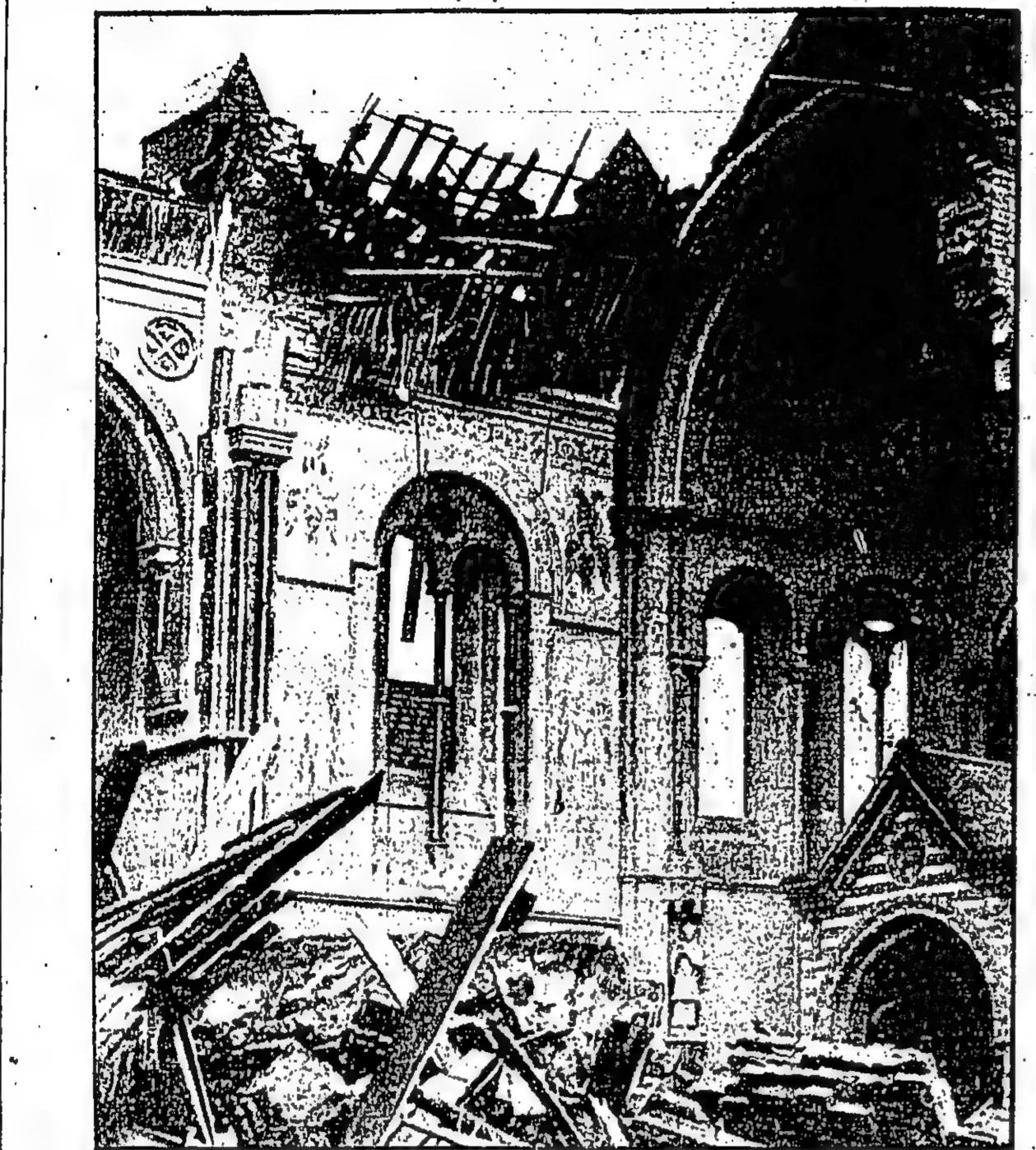
The Prince was reported to have told the royalists the day of restoration "may not be far off."

### Sure Ways To Get Rid Of A Wife

FORT WORTH, Texas, May 2 (UP),—Dr A. L. Porterfield, who conducts a class on marriage and family life at Texas Christian University, lists the following "sure" ways to get rid of a wife: (1: Learn to flick eignrette ashes

on the floor with maximum damage eto the rug. Never have fewer than four

rusty razor blades scattered on the 8. Go home late for dinner. least three times a wook.



RUINS OF A MANCHESTER CHURCH. This was one of the many non-military objectives bombed by the Germans during their recent blitz on the city.

## Rome Radio's comment was leant as a comfort to the alians for their loss. Anti-Mussolini Party

A GROUP of Italians in the United States is now making what appears to be a serious effort to form a Free Italy body on the lines of the Free French organisation of General de Gaulle.

This movement would have two objectives: 1. Establishment in the U.S. of an anti-Fascist Italian Government which would be headed by Count Carlo Sforza, formerly Foreign Minister in Italy, and who was Italian Ambassador to France when Mussolini came to power. Count Sforza is now lecturer at Virginia University.

## Secret War Training Libya to organise a revolutionary army among captured troops For New York Police Italy. This force, it is proposed, would train in Canada.

By PIERRE VILLERE

United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, May 2 (UP).—A special emergency squad of 300 picked members of the New York police has been secretly trained in all phases of civilian protection against modern warfare, but what their new duties will be is a deep, dark secret.

bombed. For that reason, the the squad is proficient in two-way York, one of the leading anti-Fascist men themselves are speculating radio operation and field broadcast- Italian-Americans in this city, was on whether they might not be ing. sent away from the city.

One belief was that the emermen for the British Army.

Six Weeks' Training The men were trained for six weeks, and after their course was completed, they were returned quietly to their normal posts. Every precaution was taken to prevent details of their training from becoming

Only men especially skilled in various trades and crafts were chosen. They were given a rigid physical examination, and sent for routine training to the School for the Soldier on Randall's Island.

They were taught the methods found most successful in London of coping with emergencies due to building collapses, such as might be caused by bombings.

They learned the use of the 000 tons-was salvaged to make ten swinging belt—a belt attached to a cargo ships, 1,000 Army tanks and who sent a detective to investigate. roof from which a man can drop to 20,000,000 shells. These official The officer return various window levels or swing to figures were given by the Ministry bold as an egg other buildings. They were taught Supply. Good as these drures are; first aid. They became expert in the Ministry thinks still more could a That barber had my bair off beautiful more could raise a finger the haid.

War experts have agreed that establishing police lines. They learned this country enters the war, there is little likelihood on the handling and removal of that New York City will bu bombs of all types. Every man on School for Social Research in New

### Defence Speed-up

These men were made sufficiently gency squad might train others familiar with all phases of this work to enable them to serve as instructured the places of civilian determination to enable them to serve as instruction was, but in another quarter tors, it necessary, teaching others that the British authorities the art of loading and unloading have indicated tentatively that they emergency trucks, dynamiting build- may be willing to give encourageings that would be hazardous if left ment and perhaps definite backing to

> The formation of the special emergency squad brought the police department into the city's master defence programme along with the health and fire departments. All other city departments and agencies are organising under a speed-up order which calls for them to be ready to take their places in the city's defence plan,

#### TANKS AND SHELLS FROM SALVAGE

Britain, sufficient scrap metal-250,-

2. The creation of an officers' corps which would be sent to in preparation for invasion of

### Fought in Spain

Some of the group, which is at present attempting to start a Free Italy movement, hope it may be possible to get Randolpko Picclardi, who commanded the Garibaldi Brigade, which fought on the side

anxious to stress the fact that the movement is so far in a preliminary

standing, and enforcing black-outs, such a movement,

## Eccentric Barber's New Coiffure

ERIE, Pennsylvania, May 2 (UP) —The question of what constitutes a haircut was taken under legal advisement here recently.

A certain eccentric barber, addicted to drinking while at work, ran his clippers across the top of a wo-Last 'year, over the whole of man customer's head from original colffure of his own creation.

The customer complained to police

# HE GOT

Gunner James Griffiths had

It involved an unexpected trip of 2,000 feet above the earth. And it was all due to a misun-

When a barrage balloon began to ascend at a Western town, Gunner Griffiths thought it had broken from its moorings. Hoping to retard its rising-actu-

ally it was going aloft normally-he gripped a guide-rope. This he twisted round his waist and legs.' He gripped another rope

#### Crew Horrified

with his teeth.

cend to 2,000 feet before they could check the balloon.

lowered it to the ground. thank you.

-The present European food blockade may claim a far greater toll of life than actual fighting, according to Dr Charles C. Hig-

of vitally essential foodstuffs, will be responsible for havoe among the European people in the present war according to the nutrition expert. Research after the Great War, to join the expedition. according to Dr Higgins, "showed an increase in kidney stones due to diet deficiencies."

on an average shorter than children all dietary items were plentiful.

four\_Dancs\_to\_long\_terms\_of\_im\_\_remain." prisonment for attacking German soldiers.

one of the greatest adventures of the war recently.

derstanding.

The horrified crew saw him as-

Then, as people gasped, they Gunner Griffiths was quite safe,

## DEFICIENT DIET WILL KILL MORE THAN FIGHTING

PITTSBURGH, May 2 (UP). gins, of Cleveland, Ohio. -

Diet desiciencies, caused by lack

It also showed that German children born during the war were who lived under circumstances where

## Dane Hit A Nazi, Gets 4 Years

One Dane was sentenced to four vears for felling a German with an empty whisky bottle.

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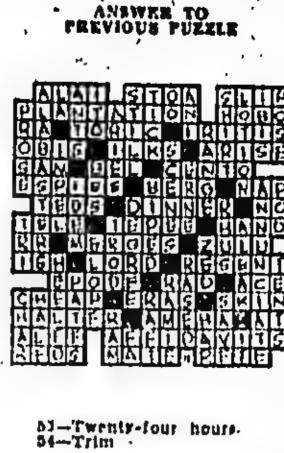
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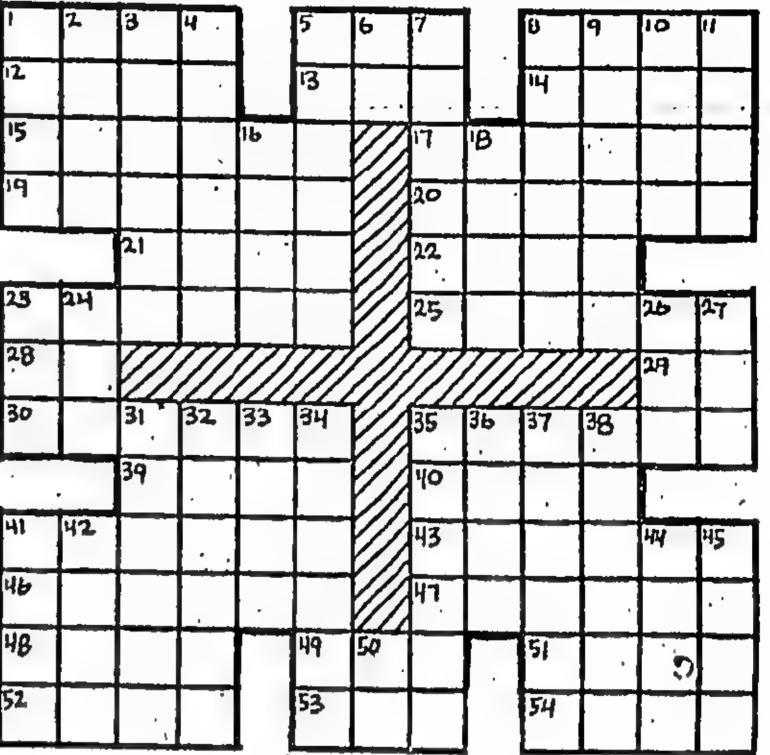
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## EMPEROR'S GIRL SOLDIER

Marches To Fight Italians

With the Emperor Haile Selassie's expeditionary force which has marched into Abyssinia is one woman. She is Miss Banichyzgu Kidani, a 23-year-old nurse, who was once condemned to death by the Italians.

She disguised herself as a boy

"I appealed to the Emperor to allow, me to accompany his troops as a hospital nurse," she said, "but he refused on the ground that the journey would! be too severe for a woman.

"So I cut off my hair, disguised myself as a soldier, and marched, until one day the Emperor recognised me and, since it was too escape and, after many adventures,

Miss Kidani's father, a colonel in the Emperor's army, was hanged by worked as a nurse until the Emthe Italians in the market-place at peror's arrival at Khartoum from Addis Ababa 10 months ago.

Put Amongst Lepers

Captured in the Abyssinian war, Miss Kidani was imprisoned in Addis Ababa by the Italians, who ordered her execution. With the aid of an American missionary, she got some medicine which made her so violently ill that the Italian authorities, believing her to be suffering from an infectious and fatal disease, put her in the Abyssinian leper colony.

A Swedish doctor helped her to A Copenhagen Court has sentenced late to send me back, allowed me to she reached a Sudanese outpost. In 1939 she returned to Abyssinia to

join the rebels. Returning to the Sudan, she

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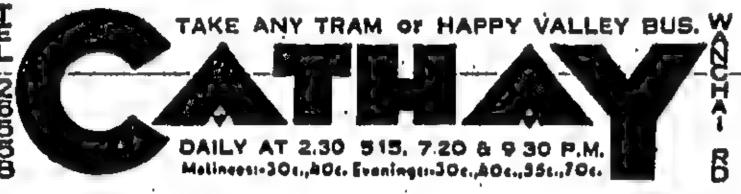
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## CHARGE REDUCED

Two soldiers mounting a Bren gun post were talking to a girl at a window of a house overlooking the post. Suddenly two shots were fired, and the girl fell. She died soon afterwards.

At Aldershot Police-court Charles Thomas Christie, 21, a Canadian, was charged with murdering Margaret Catherine Wheaton, 27, a servant, of Gunnislake, Cornwall.

Mr. E. G. Robey, prosecuting, said Christic admitted firing the shots. Private William Alfred Rutherford, who was on duty at the gun post before Christie took over, said he left the safety catch of the gun at the automatic control position.

Manslaughter Major Forbes Benson; West said Christie had received instruction in the use of a Bren-gun, but had only mounted one about two days before

the incident. The Bench found there was no case to answer on a charge of murder, but Christie was committed to Hampshire Assizes on a manslaughter charge. '. . '

## Half Of Iraqi Air Force Destroyed

FROM PAGE ONE

at Habbaniyah, it was revealed here

That "sanctuary" was promptly violated by the Iraq forces surrounding the station. Imperial troops now in Iraq, despite, overt provocation by Iraqi troops, are occupying only certain points essential to the fulfilment of the Anglo-Iraq Treaty terms, it is stated

Oil Concession Ban VICHY, May 4 (Reuter)—Rashid Ali has ordered work on the Iraq Petroleum Company's concession to be suspended, according to a Bagha. dispatch received here.

It is reported that certain refineries

are to continue work for the benefit of Rashid Ali's troops,

Meeting In Trans-Jordan CAIRO, May 4 (Reuter).—It is understood that the developments in Iraq were given consideration at a luncheon given yesterday by Emir Abdullah of Trans-Jordan in honour of H.R.H. Emir Abdul Illah, Regent of Iraq, his nephew, says a despatch from Amman. Several former Iraq Ministers and

lcaders as well as Arab leaders from Palestine and Trans-Jordan also attended the luncheon. Turkey's Position

joglu, the Turkish Foreign Minister, this year to-day when doubtless following the The W usual practice, the Ambassador in-formed M. Sarajoglu of all the latest developments in the Iraqi situation.

with Britain's attitude and deplore in the garden cause sickness. Rushid Ali's action which was inspired by the Axis. His appeal for German help has actively lowered his stock here because if the Axis could give him effective help, which is regarded as most unlikely, the result will be further encirclement of Turkey by the Axis.

In unofficial Turkish circles, regret is expressed that Britain has allowed matters to go so for and did not act earlier in the face of strong German agitation in Arab states and in Iran. The leading light in the German trouble-making machine in the Near East is believed to be Herr Franz

Latest Rome Report ROME, May 4 (UP).—A dispatch to the "'Messaggeros" from Damascus says that the Ibn Saud has concentrated troops on the Iraq and Trans-Jordania frontiers.

### Appeal By Deposed Regent

### FROM PAGE ONE

been made by de Faud I Shatara, President of the Arab National League, in the U.S.A.;

"We greatly sympathise with all efforts to attain legitimate Iraqi aspirations by peaceful means. England may have erred in the past, but under Hitler there can be no future for the Arab world. It was England which liberated the Arabs of Iraq and aided them to become a proud independent people. We therefore believe that it would be in the best interests of Iraq and all other Arab states to maintain traditionally friendly relations with Britain and attempt to adjust all differences by means of direct negotlations with the British representatives and the Arab world."

## Nazi Airmen Land

Six members of the crew of a German bomber set fire to their machine after landing recently near Moure, Portugal, and escaped across the border into Spain.

The airmen used civillan clothing to get away during a search made by Portuguese authorities.

AMERICAN VICE-CONSUL Mr John S. Service who is on the way to Chungking to take up an appointment there as American Vice-Consult is in the Colony He is remaining here for a short while



LEGION CHIEF ABROAD-Milo Warner, national commander of the American Legion, meets Wilfred the Duck, RAF mascot, and his canine friend, at an unnamed British air field. Mr Warner was studying civilian defence.

## Wives' Tales Threaten Japan's National Structure

Special to the "Telegraph"

TOKYO, May 4 (Domei).—The age old belief, that Japanese. women born in the year of the Tiger in the Chinese zodiac, make bad wives and that certain days are unluckly for travel according to the Lunar calendar and the like, are to be blasted by a "desuperstitioning" drive pointedly organised by the Home and Welfare Ministries and the National Service Association.

Chinese zodlae have long been banished from Japanese homes. However, their long use in the past gave rise to sundry superstitions which persist partially in rural re-

Deciding that these are obsessions of present day Japan, the authorities will launch a campaign immediately and attempt to debunk them. The ANKARA, May 4 (Reuter).—Sir Home Ministry is expediting the com-Hugh Knutchbull - Hugessen, the British Ambassador, saw M. Sara- farmers which will be published late farmers which will be published late

The Welfare Ministry will attempt this war. Here is one day's to explode the superstitions related to programme. architecture such as having the kitchen in the northeast corner of the The Turks appear to have the ful- house brings bad luck, and other such with chiefs of his stair, and the lest understanding and sympathy fears that loquet and persimmon trees is all there is for publication.

## Chinese To Encourage Gliding

for 1941 include the construction of 100 gliders, a series of goes to dances (provided the dances damanatration flights establish have some object of benefit to the von-Papen himself, who is returning here shortly. With his return, the Reich may be expected to redouble its efforts to embarrass the British. Kunming Kweilin and Lanches. ment of branch clubs in Chengtu, Pamela and Felicity use their spare Kunming, Kweilin and Lanchow, time learning to fly. The statement alleged to have been made by the Baghdad radio that the Arabs are fighting in Palestine may perhaps indicate coming Gerand articles on the subject into Chinese.

The club will begin a membership drive in the near future.

On the Chungking commercial virfield recently, a large crowd gathered and first officially sponsored demonstration. Manned by veteran glider
pilots who have been experimenting
with sailplanes and other advanced
British National at Elstree with motorless craft for several years, two monoplane sailplanes with enclosed cockpits flew noiselessly over the nterested crowd.

## WAVELL FAMILY -Everyone Now

In The War The whole Wavell family is in

Gen. Archie himself conferred house brings bad luck, and other such with chiefs of his staff, and that

> Lady Wavell, his wife, attended meetings to provide comforts for the wounded now coming in. Son Archie is serving in his father's regiment, the Black Watch. Daughter Pumela did her normal spell of duty

with-the-V:A:D: Felicity and Joan, the younger daughters, went to their work as secretaries at G.H.Q. Benefit to Troops

Most of Lady Wavell's time, apart from running their big, flowergardened house is taken up with The China Glider Club's plans troops welfare. For social life she

## Life Of Penn On Film

William Penn, the great Quato watch the inauguration ceremony ker, is the subject of the latest

> British National at Elstree with Clifford Evans as Penn and Deborah Kerr as his romantic first love. The whole thing is linked up by

> producer Richard Vernon with President Roosevelt's inaugural address over the radio. Then the picture goes back to seventeenth-century

There, at the beginning, we are to see a Quaker, member of a per-secuted new sect, being ducked in a barrel of beer by public house revellers. In a room above, with the diarist Pepys, is William Penn, the young soldier.

Paul Tierney, war editor of the "New York Post," who recently returned from England, writes that he learned from a reliable source that one of many surprises the British are holding ed symptoms similar to those of back for Hitler is a terrific anti- German measles. nircraft defence barrage.

been fired, because the British do of Arabia, he contracted some form the British people have carried on of poisoning from an obscure germ. It is possible that his flights their ordinary life since Munich.

"If Hitler carries out his boast to fill the air with warplanes, his losses will be terrific," writes Tierney. The both as pilot and observer written by a Fleet Street man; and fill also learned that aerial photo. During his flights over Germany the film will be produced at Denham ports nearest to British are now.

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## Minister Flew Bombers Over Enemy Territory

A few hours after the death of Lord Lloyd, Colonial Secretary, it was revealed that until he became a Minister in May he had been making regular flights over Germany in R.A.F. have flown over the country since the bombers.

Lord Horder and six other war, although his flights were made doctors who attended him during before he attained Cabinet rank—he doctors who attended him during sometimes took the controls. At his brief illness have had dif- other times he acted as an observer." ficulty in ascertaining the precise cause of death.

When he took to bed he show-

It consists of enormous groupassociated with him said, "when Lord an Army captain, is to be given
ings of guns, which have not yet Lloyd was in the East with Lawrence special leave to take the lead in been fired, because the British do of Arabia, he contracted some form British film which will show how

David Niven; who returned to "Years ago," one who was closely Britain from Hollywood to become

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## Hitler Changing His Mind About War's End

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, May 4 (UP).-Despite Hitler's glorification of the German victories in the Balkans, the first outstanding impression of his speech was the intimation that he expects the war to continue until at least 1942, which is believed to be implied in the threat that German soldiers will possess better weapons next year than this year. The remark is contrasted here with the repeatedly reported utterances of Nazi leaders that they will finish the war this year.

Another passage in Hitler's speech which is arousing interest in London was his amicable allusion to Turkey. It is recalled that the Turks and Germans were Allies in the last war and while Yugo Slavia turned against the Axis. Turkey reserved her independence.

With von Papen, the Nazi Ambassador to Turkey, due shortly a Ankara presumably with plans win over the Turks, this part of the speech seems to prepare the ground for an attempt to smash the Anglo-Turkish alliance and make Turkey subservient to the Axis schemes.

The impression is prevailing here regarding Hitler's statement or German casualties in the Balkans that he obtained amazingly quick and slick statistical results which appeared to London commentators to be a phoney underestimate.

It is also suggested that Hitler is deducting from 30 to 50 per cent. from the total German forces actually engaged in the campaign which, it is said here, included at least S.S. and considerable infantry.

U.S. Reaction

WASHINGTON, May 4 (UP) .-policy to any degree. Officials -generally believed that Hitler's address damaged. was an attempt to impress the South America and also in the Do- Saturday minions with the futility of further opposition.

Official sources predicted that Hitler would soon discover his error in TURN to Back Page, Column 3

#### Submarine Pursues **British Ship**

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, May (UP). - The Government radio Pass areas in Abyssinia. station reported it had intercepted a which revealed that the Licoan had gun attacks. sent a message saying that a German submarine was pursuing her in approximately 54.54 West, 21.41 North | From all these operations, adds the

## IRAOI OF FORCE

CAIRO, MAY 4 (REUTER).-HALF THE IRAQI AIR FORCE HAS BEEN DESTROYED OR PUT OUT OF ACTION, ACCORDING TO A SPECIAL R.A.F. COMMUNIQUE ISSUED HERE TO-NIGHT.

IT STATES: "BOMBER AIRCRAFT OF THE R.A.F. CARRIED OUT ANOTHER HEAVY ATTACK ON THE IRAQI AERODROME AT MOASCAR RASCHID TO-DAY. SEVERE DAMAGE WAS CAUSED TO THE AERODROME BUILDINGS AND WORKSHOPS AND AT LEAST 22 IRAQI AIRCRAFT WERE PUT OUT OF ACTION.

## LIVERPOOL HAS BAD BLITZ

Hospital, Churches And Schools Hit Special to the "Telegraph"

LIVERPOOL, May 4 (UP) .- A pall of smoke to-day overhung a whole street of houses and shops which were blasted and burned during last night's savage dusk-to-dawn moonlight blitz, while amid the broken masonry and tumbled bricks rescue squads there were near misses on several others. poked around for trapped persons for whom all hope has been

## Raids On N. African Coastline

R.A.F. Communique

CAIRO, May 4. (Reuter) were rained down by the raiders three armoured and two mountain R.A.F. bombers continued to whose never ceasing drone was audidivisions in addition to the motorised harass the enemy in Circuaica ble despite the reverbrating antithroughout Saturday and the aircraft barrage. previous night. The aerodrome at Benina was heavily attacked to Hitler's Reichstag speech but, as at night. Two Junkers troop- doctors, despite the falling bombs and usual, declined to comment except carriers were destroyed by masonry, evacuated a number of privately to express the opinion that bombs and machine-gun fire and patients to another institution. it would not modify the United States many others were severely

The aerodrome was again the light of the fires which paled the American public both in North and severely bombed in daylight on moon's rays. and many troop-carriers Junkers damaged.

In Benghazi a large fire and violent ing firemen are uncovered. Gangs of explosions were caused on military workmen are clearing the streets and objectives.

### Helping Land Forces

The R.A.F. has again given con tinuous powerful air support to successful operations of British ground forces in the Amba Alagi and Falag were killed.

Great destruction was caused to message from the British steamer enemy fortifications, motor transpor Licoan about 8 o'clock last night, and supplies by bombs and machine-

Heavy casualties were inflicted on enemy troops.

which would place the vessel about communique, all our aircraft re-350 miles northeast of San Juan P.R. | turned safely.

#### attempted to intercept our bom-Trucks stacked with food and bers were shot down. mobile canteens which rolled into Our aircraft returned safely to town at dawn, while firemen their bases." The 25 Iraqi aircraft destroyed were still hosing the smouldering would appear to represent half the Deposed ruins, fed hundreds of homeless. Iraqi nir force, which, at the outbreak It was the third consecutive night of the war on September 3 1939, that Merseyside has been raided with numbered 50, including 36 front line each raid being worse than the pre-Regent vious night. Last night's raid was the heaviest since the December blitz Key Points Occupied when 1,000 were killed or injured.

Two Iraqi fighters that

train turned back.

LONDON, May 4 (Reuter).—It is officially announced that British troops have occupied the airport, dock His Royal Highness Emir Abdul area and power station at. Basra. The Iraqis agreed to withdraw their forces but despite an extention of the in Palestine calling on Iraqis to time allowed, falled to do so and the rise against Rashid Ali and bombing and artillery fire.

A Cairo communique says: R.A.F. bombers heavily attacked petrol by foreign gold have by force dumps and magazines at an Iraqi "thrust me from my sacred acrodrome outside Baghdad. Bombs duties as the guardian of my demolished military buildings and damaged aircraft on the ground.

Rashid's Aerodrome Raided CAIRO, May 4 (Reuter) .- British

bombers heavily attacked petrol Churches, schools, public buildings dumps and magazines at Moreat including several libraries were destroyed or damaged. The death toll is Rashid's aerodrome outside Baghdad, obtaining many direct bits and de- war. already large as more victims includmolishing military buildings. Bombs were also seen to turn over

and damage sireraft on the ground. repairing the interrupted electricity During this operation, British bombers also shot down an Iraq ' Four hundred patients were in a aircraft and severely hospital which was directly hit. Many were trapped. Ambulance

The shelling of Habbaniyah acro drivers who were in the rest room early this morning, causing some casualties to i non-combatants. reply British aircraft bombed LONDON, May 4 (UP).-The air machine-gunned mechanised transwar was sharply intensified under the port with the result that the shelling foreigners thinking only of their waxing moon and the R.A.F. and was reduced. the Luftwaffe traded shattering blows

False Sanctuary

tension in Iraq became acute, Rashid All offered facilities to the British Minister for the removal of British women and children from Baghdad to the shelter of the R.A.F. station TURN to Back Page, Column 3

## LATEST

## "Time" Editor In Hongkong

and his wife Claire Boothe The Clipper will touch at Manila are staying at the Peninsula Hotel.

# Appeal By

A number of air combats occurred resulting

A railway line was bombed and an armoured

Many raids were made on Iraqi gun positions,

In a later raid on Moascar Raschid aerodrome,

Habbaniyah and many direct hits were obtained. These

direct hits were registered on sheds, buildings and air-

in several hostile aircraft being disabled.

targets were bombed throughout the day.

LONDON, May 4 (Reuter).— Illah has issued a proclamation British forces drove them out by asserting that Rashid Ali and other ill-disposed persons bought nephew, your beloved young

> Abdul Illah declares: "Under their evil sway, the noble land of Iraq has been poisoned by folsehood and lies and brought from the blessings of peace to the horrors of a venomous

### Returning To Iraq

"My duty is plain. I am returning to restore the tarnished honour of my native land and lead it back to domaged peaceful prosperity under a lawfully constituted government. I call upon all true sons of Iraq to drive out this drome by Iraqi guns was resumed band of traitors and restore to our beloved country true liberty and independence. Recall your sons and brothers from this war brought upon your hands by lies and intrigues of selfish interests.

"Soldieral Go peacefully to your stations and there pencefully awnit SIMLA, May 4 (Reuter).—When my restoration of an independent Iraqi constitutional government. "Long Live King Felsal III"

Arab National League LONDON, May 4 (British Wireless) .- The following statement has been made by de Faud I Shatara President of the Arab National League, in the U.S.A.: -"We greatly sympathise with all

efforts to attain legitimate Iraqi aspirations by peaceful ameans. Eng-TURN to Back Page, Column 3

tallers in the Colony.

## After R.A.F. Visit to Milan

Royal Air Force on Milan. Italian firemen are seen at work on a wrecked building. Milan was not the only town to feel the power of the British bombers. Other towns in northern Italy were visited at the same time.



## NEAR RIOT AT GOVT HOUSE

-Night-Soil-Coolies-In-Demonstration

A near-riot marked the demonstration by 2,000 night soil coolies outside Government House this morning. After their ringleaders had appealed to the crowd to disperse, one man refused to budge and started to argue. When an order was made for his arrest, dozens of women surged forward and attempted to

## £2,000 Cheque For Bombers

A cheque for \$32,066.81, being the equivalent of £2,000, was handed to the Government of Hongkong this morning for telegraphic transfer to the British Government. This represents the twenty-second instalment sent to London from the "South China Morning Post" and "Hongkong Telegraph" War Fund for the purchase of bombers.

The total remitted now amounts to £116,889-19-6, the dollar total to date amounting to \$1,876,074.80.

ing their sales to each individual

customer to no more than one dollar's

More Details About

Rice Monopoly Plan

The rice monopoly scheme, which comes into operation on

June 1, will follow the general lines of the scheme at present

functioning in Singapore, the Colenial Secretary, the Hon. Mr.

direct, by Government to re-tallers in Hongkong have been limit-

. It is pointed out that if the worth daily. The quantity procur-

authorities are able to secure supplies able for the money varies between

passed on to the consumer. Retail Retailers state that their own

of rice cheaply, the benefit will be 41/2 entities and five cattles.

N. L. Smith, told the "Telegraph" this morning.

attack the police. They were held back, but for ten minutes an ugly scene was threatened. When the women finally decided to desist, they

were again addressed by Mr W.

P. Thompson, A.S.P., who warned them that unless they dispersed, the police would be obliged reluctantly, to use force. At this point the Commissioner of Police, Hon. Mr J. P. Pennefather-Evans, accompanied by the Assistant Commissioner of Police, Mr. C. G. Perdue arrived at Government House, The demonstrators then started to

Demonstrators Return About ten minutes after the coolies had started to disperse, following Mr Thompson's final warning, some two or three hundred of them reformed their ranks at the bottom of Garden Road and marched back towards Government House.

All entrances to Government House were blocked by the police and milltary and the demonstrators satisfied. themselves with squatting; down in the road leading round by Government House gardens.

It appears that they intend to at-TURN to Back Page, Column 5

## **Enemy Held**

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

Government's position will be system will be made at the meeting of the Legislative Council on Thursthat of importer as well as day, sold the Colonial Secretary.

Wholesaler, and rice will be sold During the past few days, rice re-CAIRO, May 4 (UP),-According to to-day's General Headquarters. communique, the enemy attack on the outer defences at Tobruk were "definitely brought to a standstill yester. day, afternoon.".

Bollin area, mechanised forces again carried out a successfill finald finaliting casualtles and capturing prisoners. ""In . Abyssinia fanother important orices will be determined by the supplies, are low, and precautions sector has been captured by our

Covernment, and retailers will not have been taken to counteract hourd- troops who are advancing on Ambe allowed to sell above these rates. Ing by these who are in a position bealegt. In the southern districts.

A statement on the imonopoly to purchase large quantities the operations are continuing.

## Roosevelt Says U.S. Ready Fight For Democracy

STAUNTON, Virginia, May 4 (Reuter).-Speaking at the dedication of President Woodrow Wilson's birthplace as a national shrine, President Roosevelt declared that the American people had fought before and were "ever ready to light again" for the existence of "democracy in the world."

son taught that democracy could happy peoples who placed their sole strategic British base at Singanot survive in isolation. "We applaud his judgment and his Physical strength can never per-

Declaring the Manse, where Wilson spiritual force." President Roosevelt said that by the Mrs Cordell Hull and Mrs Woodrow act of dedication, "we are bearing Wilson were among the large gathertrue witness to the faith that is in ing who applauded strongly when ius, a simple faith in the freedom of President Roosevelt notified democracy in the world. It is the world that the United States was Clipper will cover the 19,000 mile kind of faith for which we have "ever ready to fight again." fought before and for the existence Further cheers greeted the Preof which we are over ready to fight sident's declaration that those rely-

Triumphant End advancement only as it has appres of the world."

manently withstand the impact of after President Roosevelt had

was born, "a new shrine of freedom," Lord and Lady Halifax, Mr and the service.

ing on the sword would perish by it. Hongkong which was the original The remainder of President Roo- trans-Pacific terminus will continue President Roosevelt expressed his sevelt's speech was devoted to an to be served by alternating the faith that democracy would emerge culogy of Woodrow Wilson as a arrivals between this important out-Irlumphont-from "the tragic conflict statesman who tried to bring nearer post and Singapore. The first flight which the world witnesses to-day, the day of "mancipation of con- carries only mails and civil acro-All recorded history bears witness science from power and the substitut nautics inspectors. The regular pasthat the human race has made true tion of freedom in the government senger service is expected to begin

## Service Inaugural San Francisco

Hospital Hit

Hundreds of high explosive bombs

It is feared that many patients and

some members of the staff were kill-

ed in a hospital where nurses and

the height of the raid, ambulances

sped over glass and debris-littered

and gas services...

streets while rescue squads worked by

Luftwaffe Losses

last night on industrial centres, and

ports. Air circles drew attention to

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New Clipper

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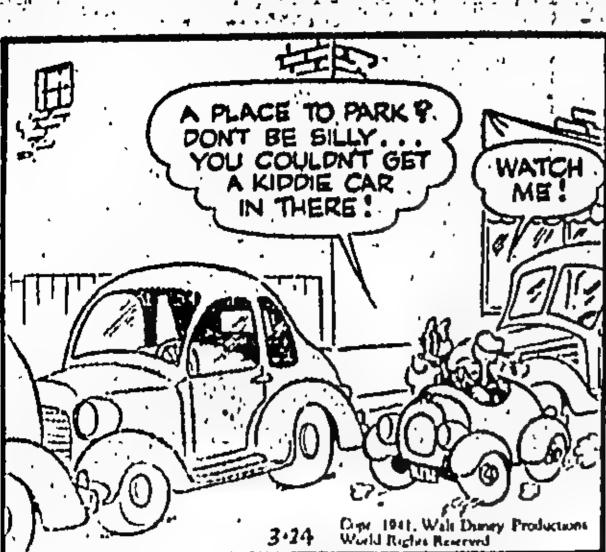
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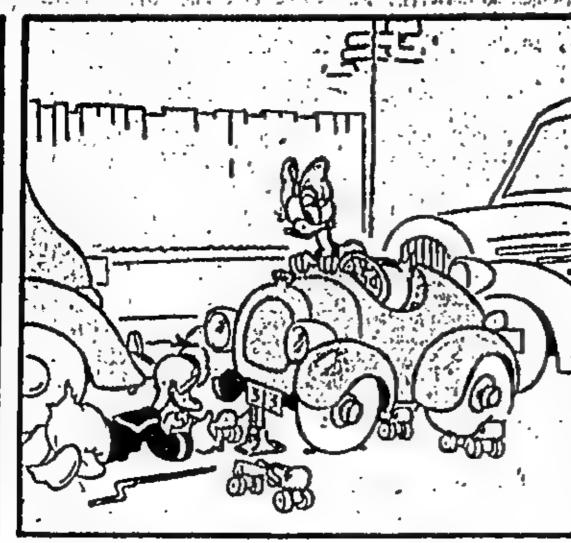
—Pan American Airways to-day announced that the first flight on the new weekly trans-Pacific service linking the west coast of The President said that Wil-|ciated human values. Those un- the United States with the signed the order authorising prominent American playwright and

> en route to Singapore. The flight from Mantia to Singapore is 1,500 the miles across the China Sen. The flight from San Francisco to Singapore in slightly less than six days. Pan American officials - said that during the latter part of May.

Mr Henry Luce, editor of "Time," authoress, are now in Hongkong, and

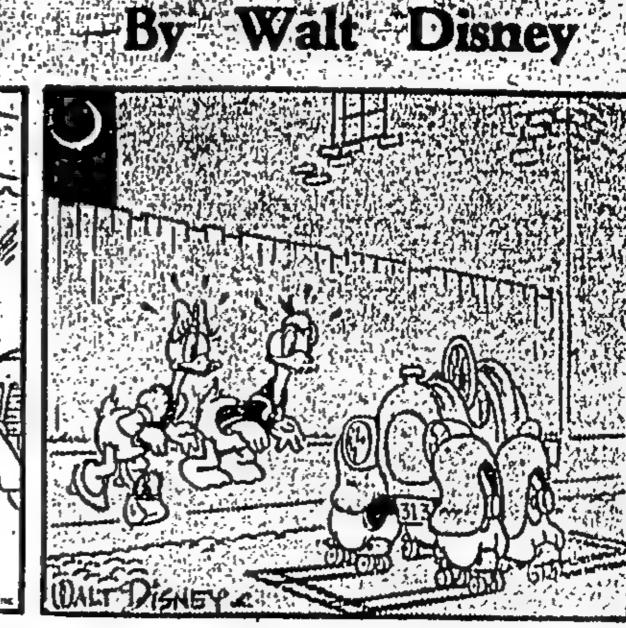
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Mr Sorensen then asked if the close proximity of the Vatican City to Rome had any bearing on the avoidance of such an attack. Sir Archibald Sinclair: I cannot be sylvania." expected to discuss this question in

**Cruelty To Frogs** 

near Hamilton Street on May 4, Au Klu, 56, unemployed, was fined \$5 or London. in default seven days hard labour. by\_Mr H. C.:Macaamara at Kowloon:

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(Violin) and the State Opera Orches- of enemy merchant ships, escorted by 7.0 London Relay-The News. 7.15 London Relay-"Questions of the Hour."

Pau Casals ('Cello). (n) Si olsenu j'etais, a toi je volerois (Bird study) (Henselt); (b) En Route (concert study) (Palmgren), La Danse d'Olaf (Riccardo Pick-Mangiagalli), Eileen Joyce (Piano); Apres un Reve (Faure), A Village Song (Popper), Pau Summary Issued on Saturday: Casals, ('Cello) with piano; Trois Danses Fantastiques (Shostakovich) Scherzo Op. 16 No. 2 (D'Albert), Eileen Joyce (Plano); Andante

(Bach), Aria from suite in D (Bach) Pau Casals ('Cello) with plano. 8.0 Local Time Signal and Announcements. 8.02 This week's progremmes.

8.05 Emil Roosz and his Orchestra, Serenade from "Frasquita" (Lehar), Valentina (Wright-Dunn), Moorish March (Mohr). 8.15 London Relay-"Hi, Gang!"

9.0 London Relay-The News and News Commentary. 9.15\_ Charlle Kunz at the Piano and the Mills Brothers.

Vocal—Sleepy Head (film "Opera- separate waves of enemy aircraft of Louis St Louis Battery: Grube, Peacock. tor 13"), Put on your Old Grey heavily raided Malta on Saturday Battery: R. Harris, Kramer, Newlin, Bonnet (Murphy and Wenrich), The night. Mills Brothers; Piano-Kunz Revivals No. 2; Intro.: I Never Realised; Birth of the Blues; Pink Elephants: Rose in the Bud: Speak to Charlie Kunz; Vocal-Star Dust (Carmichael and others), The Mills Brothers; Plano-Kunz Revivals No. few were seriously injured. 3; Intro.: Poor Butterfly; After You've Gone; Whispering; Alice Blue Gown; Just a little Love, a little Kiss; The Chocolate Soldier Waltz, Charlie Kunz; Vocal—Funiculi Funicula (Denza), Asleep in the Deep (Petrie, Lumb), The Mills Brothers.

9.45-10.0 News in French (on Short Wave Only). 9.45 Concert Waltzes. Springtime Waltz (Composer Unknown), Continental Novelty Orchestra; When the Lemons Bloom (Johann Strauss), Johann Strauss and Symphony Orchestra; Souvenly Fleuri (Composer Unknown), Nullo Romani and His Orchestra.

10.0 London Relay-"News from Home" by Howard Marshall. 10.15 New Dance Music with Variety.

Fox-Trots-Oh! Look at me now, You might have belonged to another, Tommy Dorsey and his Orchestra Vocal-A Little Old Church in England (Irving Berlin), Barry Wood (Baritone) with Orchestra; Fox-Trots-Jenny (film Lady in the Dark'), This is New (ilim (Lady in the Dark'), Leo Reisman and His Orchestra: Vocal—I Can't Love You ylvania."

Any More (Magidson, Wrubel),
The picture is being made by Imagination (Van Heusen), Bebe British National at Elstree with Daniels with Orch.; Fox Trots-What Clifford Evans as Penn and Deborah | Makes a Song, The Last Time I Saw Parls, Leo Reisman and His Orches-The whole thing is linked up by tru; Vocal-America, I Love You Chinese Skinned Two Alive producer Richard Vernon with Pre- (Leslie-Gottler), Barry Wood (Barl-For cruelty to unimals by skinning | sident Roosevelt's inaugural address tone) with Orch.; Waltz-Down the two live frogs at Shanghal Street over the radio. Then the picture Gypsy Trail (film Ecstasy'), Fox. Chinese zodiac have long been pilation of a calendar sulted to goes back to seventeenth-century Trot-Along the Santa Fe Trail banished from Japanese homes farmers which will be published late There, at the beginning, we are with Sammy Kaye; Vocal and Plane gave rise to sundry superstitions The Welfare Ministry will attempt to see a Quaker, member of a per- -Sweet Little Sweetheart (McIntire which persist partially in fural re- to explode the superstitions related to ecuted new sect, being ducked in a and Aliggire), Turner Layton; Fox- gions. It was stated that Defendant was barrel of beer by public house re- Trots-Sunset at Sen. That's My Way . Deciding that these are obsessions chen in the northeast; corner of the seen by a Police Constable peeling velicrs. In a room above, with the of Saying I Love You; Swing and of present day Japan, the authorities house brings bad luck, and other such 11.0 Close down

## BOMBERS SINK ENEMY SHIPS

Skilful Action By R.A.F.

Special to the "Telegraph"

LONDON, May 4 (UP).—Describing Saturday's daylight attacks on shipping in the Stralts of Dover by the R.A.F., the Air Ministry states that off Graveslines, which is situated between Dunkirk and Calais, bombers attacked a 2,000-ton ship which was being accompanied by two smaller ships of about 500 tons each.

"After several direct hits had been scored, the larger ship settled down by the stern with Exchange At Vocal-The Window Cleaner (Cliff | tled down by the stern with and others). The Lancashire Tor- clouds of smoke and steam rising from it.

"One of the smaller ships was also the Wool over my Eyes (Ager and hit and was left with her bows

of the Wave" (Hassall and Ivor Another formation of bombers, Novello), If You Only Knew, escorted by fighters, attacked ships Dorothy Dickson (Soprano), Why off Boulogne. They were under lan't it You, Dorothy Dickson and heavy gunfire from the shore bat-Walter Crisham; Comedian-George teries as well as from the ships, but Formby Medley—Intro.: Sitting on the Ice, Do de oh Doh, Chinese Laundry Blues, Madame Moscovitch, Ship of 5 000 towards a supply ship of 5.000 tons.

Bombing of Brest

LONDON, Mny 4 (Reuter),---"Owing to the recent bombing raids on Brest," where the Scharnhorst and Gneisenau are lying, Admiral Darlan, according to a Paris dispatch to the official German news agency, has decided that all workers in Brest harbour who are heads of families shall receive an additional allowance of 300 francs a month,

Attack on Convoy · CAIRO, May 4 (Reuter),-An R.A. 6.32 Mendelssohn-Concerto in E F. communique reports that R.A.F. Minor, Op. 64. Fritz Kreisler bombers on May 2 attacked a convoy Major Baseball

destroyers, in the Mediterranean. Direct hits were made on the destroyers and three merchant ships of 12,000, 8,000 and 4,000 tons respec-7.30 Elicen Joyce (Piano) and tively.

### STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange Official Buyers

Providents \$4.60 Tram \$16 Entertainment \$6.50 \_Hotels\_\_\$2.80

Sellers Ropes \$7 Sales

H.K. Govt. 31/2 % Loan 94.50 Docks \$15

## Two Nazis Brought Down Over Malta

Bombs were dropped indiscrimin-

ately, damaging civilian and government property. me of Love; Someday I'll find You, brought down for certain and a third

was damoged. A few people were killed and

#### **Boosting Sales Of** Aid China Bonds

Subscriptions to the N.C.\$1,200,-000,000 Military Supply Bonds, recently floated by the Chinese Government in Chungking have now reach-Farmyard Waltz (Folk Tune), ed over \$100,000,000, according to Mr Huang Yen-pei, secretary-general of the Wartime Bonds Committee, who Bidmead, Assistant Superintendent of arrived in Hongkong from Chung- Police, an order for the confiscation king by plane to push the sale of the of 70 tins of unclaimed gasoline

here with Sir Shouson Chow.

## A Glance

SELLING Demand London ........1/23% T.T. Shanghai ......455 T.T. Singapore ...........5234 T.T. Bangkok ......1491/2 T.T. France T.T. Switzerland ......101 BUYING 4 m/s L/C London .....1/31/2 4 m/s D/P London .....1/3 % 4 m/s L/C U.S.A. ......24 % 4 m/s France ..... .30 d/s India ......845% U.S. Cross rate in London 4.021/2

## Detroit Trounce N. Y. Yankees

U.S. Cross rate in N.Y. . . 4.03 1/2

NEW YORK, May 4 (UP) .-Baseball Leagues to-day was the 10-1 victory of the Detroit Tigers over the New York Yankees in the American circuit. Complete scores were:

-AMERICAN-LEAGUE-New York Battery: Breuer, Peck, Dickey. Washington 4 11 0
Battery: Masterson, Anderson, Zuber.

Ferreil, Evans. Cleveland '...... 1 6 Battery: Smith, Brown, Hemsley. 

NATIONAL LEAGUE 

Battery: M. Cooper, Shoun, Battery: Salvo, Sullivan, Berren Pittsburgh 6 13 Battery: Reintzelman, Lopez. Brooklyn Battery: Hamlin, Swift, Grissom, Owen. 

New York 9 13 Battery: Molton, Danning.

On the application of Mr K. A

found at Chung Hom Wan, Repulse Mr Huang will discuss measures Bay, by Mr Bidmead on May 3, was for boosting the sale of the bonds made by Mr A. N. Macfadyen at Central Magistracy this morning.

## Wives lales Ihreaten

Special to the "Telegraph"

TOKYO, May 4 (Domei) .- The age old belief, that Japanese women born in the year of the Tiger in the Chinese zodiac, make bad wives and that certain days are unluckly for travel according to the Lunar calendar and the like, are to be blasted by a "dosuperstitioning" drive pointedly organised by the Home and Welfare Ministries and the National Service Association.

The Lunar calendar and the Home Ministry is expediting the com-(from the film), Swing and Sway However, their long use in the past this year.

> | will laurich a campaign immediately | fears that logical and persimmon troos; and attempt to debunk them. The in the garden cause sickness.

architecture, such as having the kit-

## Plan Alleged Sell Girl Frustrated

A. 16-year-old yarn spinner and Chau Choi, 44, barber, Chau Yee, 47, married woman, and Yau Kiu, 41, widow, were charged before Mr D. J. N. Anderson at Kowloon Magistracy this morning with taking part in a I transaction to transfer the possession, custody or control of Wong Cha, a 7-year-old girl, for a valuable consideration, at Kowloon City, on Inspector G. W. Moreton said that

the small girl came to Sha Ko Ling Village from Chinese Territory eight months ago. Third Defendant was the principal tenant of the hut where the small girl lived. Second Defendant was a friend of third Defendant. On April 27 second Defendant paid third Defendant a visit in the latter's house and told him that a friend of his wished to purchase a girl to be a daughter-in-law. First Defendant overheard the conversation and offered to second Defendant

his sister for a sum of \$13. Second Defendant agreed to the proposal and the next day in a teahouse the money was handed to first Defendant. Third Defendant ceived \$3 for commission. Acting on information the Police orrested first three Defendants.

Fourth Defendant who was the one who wanted to buy the girl, was arrested in Shataukok on information | Branches, given by first Defendant,

Further hearing was adjourned to May 7 at 11.45 a.m. First Defendant is on bail of \$25.

### RIFLES STOLEN FROM POLICE STATION

Cheng Hon-mui, 18, unemployed, was charged before Mr H. G. Sheldon, K.c., at Central Magistracy this morning with larceny of two .303 rifles and a typewriter. One of the rifles was stolen from the Central Police Station and the other from No. 7 Police Station. The typewriter was stolen from Central Station. Cheng was convicted and sentenced

to ten months' hard labour, Outstanding victory in the Major A plea of not guilty entered by four other men arrested in connection with the case, was accepted and they were discharged. The four men were Tang Chi, 23, street coolie, Cheng Shap-sain, 32, broker, Kwok Chi, 34, shop foki and Lam Wingkwan, 32, carpenter.

Concealed In Mat Det. Sgt T. Cashman said that on April 14, a Chinese detective on duty at Ko Shing Street, saw one of the discharged men with a rolled-up mat under his arm. The, detective searched the man and found a rifle under the mat.

Two days later, Cheng was arrested in connection with the theft of the typewriter and admitted stealing the rifles. Cheng said he hid one of the rifles under the staircase of a house in Connaught Road West, and the other he hid at No. 15 Ko Shing

It was said that Defendant entered the Police Station on the pretext of being a Police informer. Only one of the rifles was recovered.

## A.A. Surprise For Hitler

Paul Tierney, war editor of the "New York Post," who recently returned from England, writes that he learned from a reliable source that one of many surprises the British are holding back for Hitler is a terrific antiaircraft defence barrage.

It consists of enormous groupings of guns, which have not yet been fired, because the British do not wish to betray their location. "If Hitler carries out his boast to fill the air with warplanes, his losses will be terrifle," writes Tierney. "I also learned that aerial photo- nessee) is now in production. graphy has shown that the invasion ports nearest to Britain are now virtually useless to Germany, as a result of incessant poundings by the

## Franco-Thailand Peace Signing

BANGKOK, May 5 (Reuter) --With the signing of the peace treaty between France and Thailand expected some time this week, the Premier, Mr Songgram, has dissolved the Thai High Command which was formed on November 18 last year following the outbreak of the border hostilities. 😲

Mr John S. Service who is on the way, to Chungking to take up an appointment there as American Vice-Consult is in the Colony. He is remaining-here for a short-while,

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## POST OFFICE

Air Mail Service by British Overseus Airways to places west of Karachi (India) : is temporarily suspended.

The public are reminded that it is a breach of postal regulations to enclose in a postal cover communications intended for persons other :han the addressee,

The Printed Matter Service to the following places in China is temporarily suspended:-Yunnan, Szechuen, Kweichow, Hunan, Fuklen (except Amoy and Kulangsu), Kwangsi, North and East Kwangtung.

Small Packet Post to all countries

is suspended.

INWARD AIR MAILS Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service'-San Francisco date, 28th April. ..........May 5. Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"-San Francisco 

OUTWARD AIR MAILS

Monday, May 5 Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, U.S.A. and Europe vis 'Pan American Airways and Trans-Atlantic Service."

Reg. ..... May 5, 5 p.ml. Ord. ........May 5, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O. Reg. ..... May 5, 5 p.m. 

Friday, May 9 Air Mail by Air to Rangoon to connect with the "British Overseas Airways." K.P.O. Reg. ..... May 9, 4 p.m. G.P.O.

Tuesday, May 13 Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, U.S.A., and Europe via "Pan American Airways and Trans-Atlantic

> Reg. ..... May 18, 5 p.m. Ord. ..... May 13, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O. Reg. ..... May 13, 5 p.m. Ord. ..... May 13, 7 p.m.

Britain's Plant Great Britain's new smokeless

powder plant in Memphis (Ten-The Tennessee Powder Co., a du Pont affiliate that built and is operating the plant under contract with the British Purchasing Commission, said "production rate is being increased. as rapidly as possible and should approach normal in a short time." It was said 2,000 employees are

engaged in actual manufacture of

powder. 🔗 Construction - on - various

units of the \$20,000,000 plant is still

in progress but will be complete in about two months.

... When . Field-Marshal . Lord : Milne gave a luncheon at the Savoy in honour of members of the American Legion in London, grace was said by Mr. J. J. Jordan, High Commissioner

These were his words! ""For what we are about to eat. "Thanks be to God and the Bri--tish-Picot."

for New Zealand, w

## Sunday

#### April 27.

Farewell at Stanley. A very en-Joyable "smolter" was held in the Prison Officers' Club at Stanley on the occasion of a farewell presentation to Mr H. G. Fuller prior to his retirement from the Prison Departmention the grounds of ill-health.

Mr Fuller first arrived in the Colony over 30 years ago, when in 1910 he was stationed at Lyemun with the 83rd Coy, R.G.A. He was later transferred to the Peking Legation Guard, and served under Sir John Jordan who was the British Minister to Peking at that time. In 1914 Mr Fuller went to France, being attached to the first 2.92 Howitzer Brigade in the war. After serving on most fronts from Belgium to Germany, he returned to China In 1919 with the Labour Corps and joined the Chinese Maritime Customs at Shanghai as a tide-waiter, from where he was transferred to Pakhoi. Leaving the Customs in 1922, he joined the Prison Department, from which he is now retiring after 19 years' service.

In his younger days Mr Fuller represented his unit in swimming races and water polo events, and was a useful hand in the Kudd racing, which is a well-known sport in the responsible in saving many a point. Artillery...

Major J. L. Willcocks, D.S.O., M.C., Commissioner of Prisons, made a presentation on behalf of the Staff of a silver tea service to Mr Fuller, and thanked him for the good work he had done in the Prison garden at Lnichikok, and sald he understood that Mr Fuller was going in for gardening on an extensive scale when he finally arrived in England.' Major Willcocks was sure that he would retirement with his family, who are at present in Australia.

Mr Fuller made a suitable reply, in which he thanked all members of the Staff for their token of esteem, and for the kind words said both about himself and the good wishes extended to Mrs Fuller; and sald that when he was finally settled he hoped to have the pleasure of seeing any of his friends when they were in the Old Country.

Mr F. N. IIIII was Master of Ceremonies, and a delightful programme was presented by several members of the Staff, the artists being Messrs E. W. Perry, S. Hodge, J. Docherty, A. D. Spoors, W. Doxford, J. W. Grant, F. N. Hill, R. F. Rosen, C. J. Norman, H. G. Fuller, J. W. Fitz-Gerald, C. V. Jamieson, the: "Great Marvino," Major J. L. Willcocks, A. Jillott, and Drs E. W. R. Hackett and G. I. Shaw.

Masons at Church. The annual Masonie Church Service under the nuspices of the District Grand Lodge of Scottish Freemasonry was held at the Union Church to-day. The service was conducted by Rev. K. Mackenzle Dow, and Rev. J. E. Sandbach, District Grand Chaplains with Bro. G E. Chief Justice, Sir Atholi MacGregor, Colony is entitled to ask. Longycar as organist.

Masons entered the Church led by the District Grand Master of the Scottish Lodge, Mr J. E. Ferguson, and the District Grand Master, English Con-stitution, Hon. Mr C. G. Alabaster. They were followed by Worshipful Brother R. J. Shrigley, Deputy District Grand Master (Scottish), and Worshipful Brother L. C. F. Bellamy (English). Then came the officers of the two District Grand Lodges, followed by members of other Lodges.

The Call to Worship and prayer of Invocation and Confession were said by Mr Mackenzie Dow and the Lesson. taken from Psalm 33, was read by Mr Sandbach.

In the course of the prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession, Mr. Sandbach recalled that the day was Anzae Sunday and prayers were offered for Australian, New Zealand and Empire soldiers so bravely fighting in

Mr Mackenzie Dow delivered a sermon, the text of which was taken from St Paul's Epistle to the Colossians. "Whatsoever you do, do it in the name of the Lord."

'Ald For Behools. More than ten Chinese schools in Hongkong will receive subsidies from the Overseas Affairs Commission of the National .Government during the current year. They include Fong Lam College, Mui Fong College, Young Chung Girla' School, Chung Wah School, Kwong Wah College, Wah Kiu School and Wah. Nam College.

The Dyersens' Affairs .. Commission appropriates overy year certain sums as subsidies for well-operated Chinesa schools in Hongkong, Macao and South ... Sea regions with the view to promoting oversens Chineso education.

The amount appropriated this year is learned to be between \$30,000 and

# TONE ONE DE LINE

For The Evacuees

Italian Priest Fined. Francis Ric- from Namiou to get provisions for clardi, the Italian Roman Catholic his mission and hospital there. priest who was charged at Central Asked by His Worship why he Magistracy on April 24 with breach called himself a Spanish subject, of the Defence Regulations—being an Defendant said, that he gave the enemy allen found in Lau Fau Shan, excuse "to save his skin."
Ping Shan, a protected area, without Imports And Experis. The Superthe permission of the First Security intendent of Imports and Exports has Officer—was fined \$50 or one month's released for publication the following imprisonment by Mr G. T. Lowry-tables of wholesale price index num-

Namtau to buy provisions and for Department by importers.

Chief Det.-Inspector A. H. Elston the 1st Quarter of 1940, subject named Lopes. Taken to the cent.

Ping Shan Police Station he admitted who he was and said he had come

bers in the Colony of Hongkong. The Magistrate said: "As I have The index-which is unweightedreceived no further information from has been constructed from declarathe Prosecution I must accept your tions furnished to the Statistical that you came over from Branch of the Imports and Exports

no other purpose. I am therefore There was a general average inimposing a nominal fine. I emphasise crease of 20.6 per cent, in the 1st that this is purely a nominal fine." Quarter of 1941 as compared with

stated at the previous hearing that The Foodstuffs group increased by Defendant was seen in a Chinese 26.3 per cent, in the 1st Quarter of eating-house in Lau Fau Shan on the 1941 as compared with the 1st Quarafternoon of April 21. He was not ier of 1940; Textiles by 13.3 per cent. dressed in clerical garb and when Metals and Minerals by 20.8 per cent. questioned said he was a Spanish and Miscellaneous items by 20.5 per they are given the support they have

## Tuesday

#### April 29

was taxed to capacity to-night when the first time on the Bench to which soldiers, whom he saw at work. He three finals of the badminton cham- he has been appointed. pionships were decided.

Choy took the second game 15-8.

between Miss M. Silva and Miss M. Hongkong. A. Xavier, and Mrs Zimmern and shots which proved effective. Of the losing pair, Mrs Torrible played the better game and was

In the junior doubles, A. L. Fisher Both Wynter-Blyth smashes and Xavier in net play.

The postponed junior singles semithrough many faults.

den of the Hongkong Hotel, when the are able to make it. 40th birthday of His Imperial Japanese Majesty, Emperor Hirohito, K.G., G.C.B., G.C.V.O., was celebrated in Mr Justice Cressall replied: Mr

traditional manner.

Justice P. E. F. Cressall.

sald: Mr Attorney, I present to you and to the members of both branches Mr Hemingway said that he was Badminton Finals. Accommodate of the profession my brother Cressall most impressed with everything he else. Thereby the complications! tion at the Kowloon Cricket Club who this morning takes his seat for had seen, especially the Chinese Ralph Dormer gained further

I have assured my brother that he were quiet at the fronts. match. Choy took the first game at and jealous regard for the etiquette correspondent for Collier's magazine, an admirable swing throughout. 15-5 with hardly any opposition and decencies of the profession, and visited Shlukwan, Kweilin, Kunming, Wong improved slightly in the second that he may confidently count on Chungking, and the Hupch war front. game and was successful in a receiving from everyone that same While in Chungking. Mr Hemingnumber of dropshots, but was unable measure of ready and willing assis- way had a long interview with to do anything with Choy's smashes, tance which has been always ac- Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, Dr corded to me and to all the Puisne H. H. Kung, General Ho Ying-ching, The result of the women's doubles Judges who have sat since I came to War Minister, and other high officials,

On behalf of myself, the Registrar Kai-shek. Mrs Torrible was as expected, the and every member of the staff of the Mr Hemingway flew over part of former pair winning 15-7, 15-7, Miss Court, I extend to my brother Cres- the Burma Road during his visit to Silva was faultless in her net play sall a very warm welcome to Hong- Lashio and Rangoon, and noted long health for some time, will be leaving and her partner excelled in drop- kong, and our best wishes for his lines of vehicles bringing in supplies for Australia later this month. He . The standard of play throughout happiness here.

#### Attorney General's Welcome

The Attorney General said: Mr and P. Wynter-Blyth beat C. C. Justice Cressall, I regard it as a great Pereira and A. E. Xavier, 15-11, privilege to be present here to-day, he was most impressed with everyand on behalf of the Officers of this thing he had seen, especially the high Fisher brought off good smashes and Court and of the members of both morale of the Chinese leaders and the fine recoveries. The losing pair were branches of the legal profession and people whom he had met. both over-anxious, Pereira in to extend to your Lordship a very In Refugee Camps. Figures of the warm and sincere welcome on your number of Chinese refugees and destaking your sent on this Colony's titutes accommodated in the Hongfinal between T. S. Young and D. Bench for the first time, after a long kong Government camps, as supplied Chelliah resulted in a win for Young, and distinguished career in His by the Medical Department for the 15-9, 15-18, 15-8. Young had his Majesty's service and on the Magis- week ending April 26, are given beown way in the first game, but terial and Judicial Bench in British low, with figures for April 19 in make a success of it, and trusted that Chelliah took a well deserved second Guiana and Palestine. We feel con- brackets: he would live many happy years in game. Young won the third game fident that the happy relations that King's Park 1,299 (1,299); Matau-Reception. His Excellency the Bench and the officers and practi- 1,526 (1,519); Morrison Hill 516 Governor, Sir Geoffry Northcote, re- tioners of the Court during the last (517); Tai Hang squatters camp, Governor, Sir Geonry Northcote, 18J. P. Pennetainer-Evans, Commispresenting His Majesty the King, century will continue to exist under 2,557 (2,557); Ngau Tau Kok April Weather. The Royal Obser-sioner of Police; Mr C. G. Perdue and replied on behalf of the guests at your guidance as Puisne Judge of squatters camp 807 (801); Kam Tin vatory reports that the weather dur- Mrs Perdue, Hon. Mr T. E. Pearce, to-day's reception by the Consulting here will be as happy as we camp 355 (328).

### Mr Cressali Replies

Attorney, I would like first of all to The Consul-General, Mr S. Yano express my gratitude to the Chief Championship to-day when they and the Consul, Mr S. Kimura, who Justice for his very kind remarks in recently arrived in Hongkong, re-introducing me to you and also to M. MacDougall, 6-2, 6-1, 6-2. ceived the guests, among whom were thank you for the very warm wel-H.E. the General Officer Command- come you have addressed me. I can brothers' play was far above that of the Hongkong Cricket Club to-day to ing the Troops, Major-General A. E. assure you that in my past experi- their opponents, the game was not Grasett, and the Hon. Captain Col- ence on the Bench there is one out- entirely devoid of interest. There were linson, Commodore, as well as Un-standing thing that I have always a number of hard-hitting duels and official and Official members of tried to remember and that is that spectacular volleys in which Sowell Council, members of the Govern- no member of the Judicial Bench can and MacDougall acquitted themselves ment, the Consular body, and others, make successful his job unless he has creditably. Sewell was fairly suc- surprising upsets in his tennis career and Tsul from then on was unbeatable, New Puisne Judge. Both branches the complete co-operation and cessful with his forehand drives and of the legal profession as well as friendship of his brother members MacDougall brought off some excelthe staff of the Supreme Court, of the profession. I myself always lent smashes,

The elder Test, played for below. The exertion of the first, two sets with beautiful volleys. His drop show,

The exertion of the first, two sets with an underbond cut, just headed by the Hon. Mr C. G. Alabas- regard members of the profession as The elder Tsul-played far below

Review Of The Principal **Topics** April: 27 To May 3

#### April 30

Hemingway Returns, "Provided cast. been promised, I see no reason why they cannot continue the fight indefinitely against the Japanese," declared Mr Ernest Hemingway, noted war correspondent and author, who has just returned to Hongkong after a long tour of the China war fronts.

did not see much fighting, as things

while his wife saw Madame Chiang

Japanese bombing of the road.

He concluded by reiterating that

The grand total for April 26 was 11,073, as compared with 10,973 for April 19, showing an increase of 100. Tennis Championships. Tsui Waipul and Tsut Yan-pul entered the final of the Colony's Tennis Doubles easily defeated G. W. Sewell and D.

Although the standard of the Tsui

ter, K.C., Attorney General, gathered brothers in every sense of the word form, frequertly over-hitting and net- that although the will to fight back skimmed the net, and when Sirdar at the Summary Court to-day to wel- and I know as I sit here that mem- ting easy returns. Yan-pul, however, was present, the physical effort proved refused to run for them. Tsul increased come the new Pulsne Judge, Mr bers of the profession will extend to served and volleyed well. The win- unavailing. It was a grand try, and pressure and smashed through to win Control where Version will extend to served and volleyed well. me the help and assistance that any ners were never seriously extended considering that his age is bordering the set 3-0. Introducing the new Judge, the newcomer to the Bench of this and the match was over in a little on 40, the effort was all the more

slight plot.

best out of the piece.

enacted by David Ingleby, loves Mrs

laurels as the moneyed cynic, Blen-April was 51.8, on April 4, 1905.) kinsop.' A veteran on the boards here, Mr Dormer confirmed general In the senior singles, Pairick Wong will find from everyone who prace During his tour, Mr Hemingway, opinion as to his dramatic gifts. The Dadminton champion of the Colony, unsuccessfully defended his title lises, before him a high standard of who was accompanied by his wife other roles were also in good hands, real from the first angel a double when, against K. W. Choy in a one-sided professional attainment and a strict the former Martha Gellhorn and and the whole farce was played with

fiting from the production, and two sets, and with Miss Ulian Khoo, with

Mr Forrest, who has been in ill-sets in a hard fought match. to Free China. Supplies were reach- had the misfortune to become afflict- the evening was magnificent, and ing Chungking without any interrup- ed suddenly and seriously with neph- although Young and Fisher were not tion, he said, and he did not notice ritis (kidney trouble) three weeks quite up to the standard of the any stoppage of traffic owing to the ago and he has been in Queen Mary seniors, their match was the most treatment

> still under consideration by Govern- speech in which he congratulated ment, particularly the agreement be- the winners and runners-up and A. von Kobza-Nagy and how far that of the Hon. Secretary, Mr.M. Talan. agreement is still binding," stated a Mr Gray said the championships had Government official yesterday.

have been established between the churg 1,895 (1,718); North Point be made available for publication as soon as possible.

## Thursday

more performances will be given.

Mr Forrest Retiring. Mr R. A. D. mixed doubles title, beating K. W Forrest, Immigration Officer, has been Choy and Mrs Castro in straight invalided out of the Government sets. Service, it is learned officially this

the Immigration Inquiry, which has for admission to the semi-finals and already been harded to Government, finals. He then called on Mrs T. E. is still under consideration, but will Pearce to present the prizes:

never fail to bear out his expert 30°F. in 24 hours, and the minimum knowledge of the theatre and what temperature on the 6th was the lowthe average audience wants: ."Mrs est ever recorded in April. The next Dot," which was presented by the few days were mainly cloudy, with European Y.M.C.A. Dramatic Club frequent rain or drizzle and occasionto-night, was entertaining despite a at thunder. There was a short spell

bouquet for their effort, for they tled, with much rain and some heavy. knew exactly how much to make of thunderstorms, their respective parts and wrung the

Much of the success is due to the normal. A maximum of 85.0° was when a full programme of matches in producer, Charles Thom, but it is recorded on the 18th and 21st; the the three divisions of the League was fair to say that, despite his apprecia- minimum of 50° occurring on the 6th tive direction, the performance would was a record for April. The mean In the First Division, Recreio overnot have been what it was without relative humidity was 84% which is come a sile beauty and Recreio overnot have been what it was without relative humidity was 84% which is come a sile beauty and Recreio overnot have been what it was without relative humidity was 84% which is come a sile beauty and Recreio overnot have been what it was without relative humidity was 84% which is come a sile beauty and the come of the Laws and Recreio overnot have been what it was without relative humidity was 84% which is come a sile beauty and some season was officially opened to-day when a full programme of matches in the three divisions of the Laws in the three divisions of the Laws in the sile of the come and the sile of the come of the sile of the not have been what it was without relative humidity was 84%, which is came a stiff hurdle by defeating their the good team work shown by the normal.

local dramatics, created a decidedly fall was above normal for the fourth favourable impression as Mrs Dot, successive month, the total being 8.69 the wealthy widow who makes up inches against a normal of 5.20 inches her mind to gain the affections of a The total rainfall since January 1 is penniless bachelor. The latter, well now 25.66 inches. Dot, but discovers it only after he The maximum wind velocity in has got himself engaged to someone gust was 51 m.p.h. at 9.15 a.m. on the

crowd filled the stand and chairs at most without error. Three-all was see Tsul Wai-pul defeat S. A. Rumjahn, soon called and Tsul then took the holder, in the semi-final of the tennis next two games to lead 5-3, Sirdar, championships, 5-7, 8-6, 6-1, 6-0.

Rumjahn's collapse in the third and missed a set point in the next game fourth sets constituted one of the most as he was widely noted for his amazing his deep drives finding the far corners must have so undermined his strength executed with an underhand cut, just

5-3, that the fast pace was having ill games in a row to win the third and at the bottom last season, surprised effects on the holder. He made little fourth sets and the match. or no effort to return Tsul's dropshots, and it was generally believed that he was conserving his strength several banners bearing the words that was by R. Duncan's rink in the for the remaining sets. It was not "Restore our livelihood" and "Give us First Division. so, however. His strength was being back our century-old jobs," some 200 glory of having fought a great bottle purpose of petitioning the Urban Coun- and one point for each winning rink. against a much younger adversary til to have the new scheme—whereby A draw halves the points.

Should offset any adverse criticism. Government takes over control of the. should offset any adverse criticism.

in the first set he missed a chance to April Rainfall. Some idea of the Messrs D. J. N. Anderson, F. E. E. clinch it. Tsui levelled but Sirdar out heavy rainfall experienced during Booker, G. T. Lowry, J. P. Penne-positioned him to take the next two April can be obtained from the figures father Evans, F. F. W. Shaftain, Dr.

games for set.

Tecorded at the Hongkong Botanic Denn A. Smith and Dr S. Tomlinson.

Gardens. The total for the month was. The following have been appointed

Rumjahn quickly ran into a 3-1 lead 10.36 inches, rain measured on filteen Unofficial Justices of the Peace;

in the second set and in the fifth game days, with two dry periods, at the beil Unofficial Justices of the Peace;

illed 40-love on his own service. Tsul ginning and middle of the month.

Messrs S. V. Boxer, L. Forster, P.

cooled so well that he took the game wet period, During the three days Cockchin, Dr G. A. C. Herklots,

after two deuces. Had Sirder taken April 21 and 23, the measurement on Messrs M. A. Johnson, Rwok Chan.

# very variable temperatures. From

Sunshine amounted to 83 hours, Recreation Club, Service, Recreto "B" Winifred Dalziel, a newcomer to against a normal of 115 hours. Rain- and the Bowling Green Club "A".

Ralph Dormer gained further (The previous lowest recording for

Badminton Finals, 'Former triple badminton champlon of the Colony, with H. F. Chew, he won the senior doubles championship, defeating K Y.M.C.A. war charities are bene- W. Choy and K. B. Low over three whom he had won the, title three years in succession, annexed the

> T. S. Young won the junior title when he beat A. L. Fisher over three

Hospital. He will require prolonged thrilling of the evening and by far treatment.

"The question of a General Agent Mr S. A. Gray, President of the for the Immigration Department is Badminton Association, made a short tween Mr R. A. D. Forrest and Mr E. paid tribute to the magnificent work established a record in attendances, proving the growing popularity of The Special Commission's report on the game as 1,300 people had paid

> Among the guests were Hon. Mr J. P. Pennefather-Evans, Commis-

However, this gain released his

and again led in the 11th. Sirdar

removal-cancelled.

hitherto hidden prowess and confidence Thul Beat Rumjahn. A capacity and he began to drive and volley alhowever, fought back to level at 5-all

Taul played one of his best games in was, however, completely mastered in a deputation of six, including four ber of Naval and civilian friends the first set although it went to 12 games, but he was the undisputed dictator from the later stages of the second stanzs. He placed the ball where he wanted, knowing with cervicinty that the return would be a weak one to be killed. Tsui revealed some of his most deadly form in the third that no authority to do so.

The Hon. Mr W. J. Carrie, gathered to offer their congratulations.

Chairman of the Council, being away tions.

Chairman of the Council, being away tions.

They were married at Port Glassisiant, gow, Scotland, Mrs Greenwood between the return would be a weak one to be killed. Tsui revealed some the Press afterwards, saying that he lang Miss Crayk. She was, born near the Queen's home at Glamis Castle, and fourth sets. and fourth sets.

The first two sets were duels of however, that what the petitioners. The couple have two sons now court-craft, in which both players executed was to have the new scheme serving in H. M. Navy, plotted their bag of tricks. Sirder it delayed until at least after the war, mixed his shots extremely well and mixed his shots extremely well and when he received an opening he crash—Urban Council was responsible only been appointed Official. Justices of ed over such a fast winner that the sye could hardly follow. Leading 5-4

that same, a different story might, per- each day was respectively, 1.34, 1.94. Lee, Iti-chemng. E. E. Lloyd, Lo heps, have been written, as trul was and 1.30. In the 24 hours from April Tung-sam, Ng Chak-wa and Dr.J. T. dehnilely not sure of himself.

28 to 29 the fall was 2.30 honor.

## the 1st to the 5th it was fair and ham is one of the most skilful of present-day dramatists, and his plays, N.E. monsoon on the evening of the no matter how frail their story range, 5th caused a fall in temperature of

of warm falr weather from the 13th to the 18th, but the remainder of the The Y.M.C.A. players deserve a big month was cloudy and very unset-

May 3 The mean temperature for the Lawn Bowls Start. The Lawn Bowls

> erstwhile rivals. Craigengower, while victories were also gained by Indian

## With Acknowledgments

Solicitors are urged to save everybody's time by putting in clear statements of claim and defence. But it's a bit hard! after a lad's father has spent so much on his law education, to make him talk common English.

As I understand Japan's hopes, X=the Axis, Y=Britain, Z= A=America, B=China, Then X+Z=Y+A+B, but Y-A=ZZ, and B-(A+Y)=Z(X+Z)=ZZZ, and the equation should be  $X+Y+Z=B-\Lambda=ZZZZZ$ 

The seven ages of the best people in Hongkong,-White drill, alpaca, khaki shorts, pith helmets, double terai, white shorts, curly

fought humanely. Captured Italians should be protected from being rescued to suffer all over "To retire from Government

service a poor man requires

honesty and integrity."-and, of

Still I think the war should be

course, exceptionally poor luck in Cash Sweeps, A military overcoat has been taken from a new during a church service. But look under the seat. Maybe somebody who lost out in

the hassock scramble,

Another good reason for double--decker buses: the beggars can't pester you at the windows. Middlemen's services raise the

price of a 5s. tin hat to 25s. That's why it's so hard to keep the lid on the cost of living. A newcomer expresses surprise that there are not more people

living in such a delightful place

as the Peak. But in time he'll

discover Kowloon—and the Peak Reservation Ordinance. The Eugenics Clinics in the Refugee Camps have been discontinued, as the inmates have all been served and the population in

the camps is almost stationary. That's what. I call service. Maybe they'd better look into some of those cracks. The Im-

migration Commission's Report may have fallen into one. Broken rice (at first grade prices) is now described nu

Government rice. Stanley or Tung Wah blend? A Schoolmistress sends the following from a scholar's exerelse-book:--"Stencils are what must be cut from your throat to

ball Club, Kowloon Tong and Recreio Sirdar was a beaten man when he also won. In the Third Division. started on the third set. He managed Hongkong Cricket Club, although up It was apparent in the eighth game to take the first game on his service, on two rinks, lost to Recreto, while the second set, with Tsui leading but it was his last, for Tsui won 12 Indian Recreation, Club, who finished

prevent it getting sore."

Nightsoil. Coolies Protest. Carrying Only one seven was recorded; and

gradually sapped, and his weak returns nightsoil coolies; mostly women, march. The new system of point scoring were killed. The last two sets were ed from Blake Gardens to the Post was introduced and is as follows: Two were kined. The first two sols work Office Building this afternoon for the points for a win on aggregate of shots indeed a pitiable slaughter, but the Office Building this afternoon for the points for a win on aggregate of shots

Silver Wedding. Mr N. Green-The petitioners were accompanied wood, Resident Naval Officer at recent years. He did not feel sure of himself in the opening set but as his squad, and, while they squatted celebrated their Silver Wedding drop-shots and hard drives were slowly under the verandah on the Praya, anniversary at "The Wattles," Stone-wearing down his opponent, he began some of them weeping and wailing cutters, to-day, when a large num-to gain a measure of confidence. He a deputation of six, including four ber of Naval and civilian friends was, however, completely mastered in women, went up to the Urban Coun-

- It was learned from another source, with Naval wireless for 30 years. - 4



bride of Mr Herbert Otto Kees last week. Mrs Kees is popular and well known in the Colony. She has won the Hongkony bull com dancing amaleur, champlonship and for a long time has appeared at Miss Of Resident and the plays of the layer.

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THOSE well-meaning persons who seem to be more anxious. about the kind of peace that will the Kaiser's Reich were difficult to negotiate with and more diffieration will be of an even more untrustworthy character and more determined than any preceding generation to assert the fantastic claims of German. superiority over all races and nations.

Hitler is held up to the German people, and especially to German youth, as a deity. If he himself believes that, he is a man disordered brain. If he does not, he is a blasphemous scoundrel. But whatever he be or is believed to be, the effect is the same upon the youth of Germany. For years their only mental and moral food has been that dished up by teachers who are sworn to teach nothing but Hitler and him glorified. What can be expected of children instructed by teachers, who are bound by this oath?

"Adolf Hitler, we swear that we will train the youth of Ger- last." many that they grow up in your ideology, for your aims and purposes, in the direction set your will. This is pledged to you by the whole German system of education, from the primary school through to the univer-

It is said that forty years must clapse before a system of educa-

# When Hitler started his

blitzkrieg, the gagantic wheeling movement of his armies through Holland, Belgium and Luxembourg pivoted on the position held by the 51st Division at the north end of the Maginot Line proper.

HANADIGHT

In the midst of the fight, feared by the Nazis. The awesome reputation of the kilted ting around Remeling the Highland regiments which form it was strengthened in German Covious was apparent that hearts by the men who fought so brilliantly and gallantly at Gordons were unaware that St Valery last year.

Only when they had left against metal. Metzervisse with other units of the 51st Division did they receive an inkling of the desperate situation that had arisen.

By this time, the Nazi "Panzer" divisions had hundreds of cows and all to silence the gun. The positions and keep up a driven their way through the their poultry. The chance small party had evidently screening fire. French line at Sedan.

sion, the battalion was every man had duck or chic-poral Shepherd was killed by noitre the ground. They rushed to the vicinity of ken and fresh milk and one of the shells, which fell reported that machine-guns Varennes, north-west of eggs for supper that night. close to him. Undaunted by were posted on the fringe of Verdun. It was intended Stores were replenished the fate of their N.C.O., the the wood. that they should be used to with chickens and eggs three men charged towards. Waiting for their first

ordered to another front.

During the last days of even in the midst of the May, when other Gordon heaviest fighting. Many battalions were fighting animals, such as rabbits in from Appevine, in Linear abained to the village of Cahou. around Dunkirk before em-hutches and dogs chained to barking the Highland Divi-kennels were starving. The going on all along the France to the Somme to As the dogs hovered French to drive the Germans stem the advance of the around the camp looking for back had had little success. A POISONED GENERATION

Stem the advance of around the camp looking for back had had need need success.

Was heading rapidly towards adopted them as pets and been given an eighteen-mile

sels they had over from Erondelle to the sea. their feast of fowl. Un- As a German offensive officially, the dogs were ad-across the Somme was im-By a tediously long railfollow the war than about win- way journey the battalion ning the war, should consider reached its destination in mitted to the strength, and minent, an attack was dewhen the march was re-cided upon for the morning more seriously than they do the two-and-a-half days, travel-sumed next morning the of June 4. The Gordons the history of the theatre since court of Paris and then battalion was followed by were given the task of clear-the history of the theatre since Cromwell." was how Mr John will have to be dealt with when the south of Paris, and then scores of dogs. ing le G northwards by Rouen to In the neighbourhood of vancing

the Grand Bois de Cambron beyond. The weather had broken the battalion relieved the cult still to pin down to any ficers and men bivouacked in down to a meal of chicken To appreciate the difficult the Home Secretary, Mr. H. In torrential rain, the ofa wood, taking what shelter down to a meal of chicken ty of this operation, a demons, enables a licensing author-From there, they marched sixty miles in three nights. But the whine of bullets unusual density. So thick is tricts where there are troops or By day they slept in woods, interrupted their enjoyment the undergrowth that it is a large number of munition Every time they camped it of the meal. They were be-impossible to see more than workers.

With the exception of plays prorained continuously. Buting sniped from a machine-a dozen feet ahead.

nearly as readily.

a haystack nearby. It was outskirts. Inside the wood becoming so troublesome the German infantry had One night they reached a that it had to be tackled im-strongly established them- theatre on a footing with the films small, completely deserted mediately. village. The civilian popula- Corporal Shepherd was Tommy guns had been in a time when it is in resistance it can get.

Geography Up To Date

COMEONE remarked to me the Then came Norway, and for the Italian advance and rolled it

It is shocking how quickly we

forget. The other day I came

across a bundle of old maps, cut

Someone remarked to me the the talked knowingly of back?

other day, "What a lot of weeks we talked knowingly of back?

geography the child of to-day is Narvik and various places on At present Libyan geography that most theatres will decide to close on Mondays, but possibly in some cases Fridays will be fixed," learning! Even a week or two of I am not going to name them most of us are more confident Mr Albery added, news bulleting and papers should for you... Do it yourself-if you about the whereabouts teach him more than we ever can! Somehow we seemed to Benghazi and Tobruk-even of knew. This generation should know a little more about France Derna and Bardia. But can we the day on which most people have be better informed than the and Holland and Belgium, so go further back than that with the lesure for entertainment, perhaps their names stick better. out stopping to think?

I agreed. Then I began to wonder. We seem to have both learnt and forgotten such a lot M. Forrest Mill out of papers at the time, and since September of 1989. As M. Forrest Mill how strange they looked! Yet I each country came into the lime- But could you put your finger friend who said scornfully, "But light, its names became as fami- unerringly on, for instance, St do you need those to make you liar as our own. But if we Valery?

remember where the places And I do not believe that we At the time I felt I could have asked by the local Labour Party

clapse before a system of education can justly be judged. That is, one must wait to see what manner of man that system has produced in a people who are free to think as they will. Under the Nazi tyranny, however, no such I freedom is enjoyed, and by mass in Poland could you name to human of human of human of human of human is needed. The name and talked of places we did not know how to protect the beart of the poland could you name to have been so the susy months, and I do not know. Didn't shore in Poland could you name to have a name ignorant drawn those maps from memory. The North Hammershill Labour There seem to have been so during is the poland to not know. Didn't have not the poland that the average intelligible in Poland could you name to have been so there busy months, and I do not know. Didn't have not the poland could you name to think that the average intelligible in Poland could you name to have been so during is not the poland to not know. Didn't have not the poland to not know. Didn't have not the poland to not know in Poland could you name there are not have been so during is not the poland to resign his seat will not do so.

The North Hammershill Labour The North Hammershill Labour over maps and talked of places we did not know how to protect them the younger generation. But now I could not.

The North Hammershill Labour Only the North Hammershill Labour over maps and talked of places we did not know how to protect them the younger generation. But now I could not.

The North Hammershill Labour Only the Portit has been so it has now it is not in the constitution of the presents neither the party says that Mr Pritt 'now represents neither the party says that Mr Pritt 'now represents neither the party says that Mr Pritt 'now represents neither the party says that Mr Pritt 'now represents neither the party says that Mr Pritt 'now represents neither the party says that Mr Pritt 'now represents neither the party says that Mr Pritt 'now represents neither the party says that Mr Pritt 'now represents nei

being is turned out which is accurately on the map? Finland Even the names which were round the sun? So why should which was inspired by the so-called 'People's Convention,' meant a lot, too. But now Hel- so prominent in the first Greek I waste energy trying to remain party and which was inspired by the Communist out any corrective or restraint to sinki is the only name that leaps advance are longotten as they ber the exact whereabouts of suspicion of seeking to exploit was nothing but conflict and misery heard of it before the Russo the first important place they where it is, and that is the main to the world. to the world.

Tinnish war.

Captured when they stemmed thing!

and covered all the paths through the wood, which is about three-quarters of a mile deep.

On one side of the wood, to the left of the Gordons was a clump of trees, which was believed to be free of the enemy.

. Round the wood, the undulating countryside was covered with long corn and Of all the units in the British Army, the 51st is the most able cover while the bathedgerows, proving admirtalion waited for zero hour.

Two companies, "B" and "C," were to make the atthe Nazis had been sweeping The epic part played by the Gordon Highlanders in the tack, with "D" Company Battle of France is told here in the living impressions of the following through to allow men who suffered and survived in that sombre drama of men "B" to move out to the left the "Maginot" and had assembled in a big wood near the Maginot Line to the Estuary of the Somme to stem the tide tives had been taken. "A"
Metzervisse with other units of retreat in June, 1940.

Company was to remain in Company was to remain in reserve.

Zero Hour Strikes On the right of the Gordons, the Black Watch were also to attack, but the Seaforths on the left were ordered to maintain their

of a rich feast was not been seen advancing to the In a light rain which fell allowed to slip. Foraging attack, and a German trench on the night of June 3 With the Highland Divi-parties were organised and mortar opened fire. Cor- patrols went out to recon-

stop the German break-which lasted for several the haystack. Before they big-scale attack, the men of through at Montmedy. days. could reach it, however, the "B" and "C" Companies-lay But the Dunkirk evacua- Before they left the vil- German gunners bolted, among the long corn and betion had started. Plans were lage, the men performed a leaving their machine-gun hind hedges slightly to the changed. The Division was little humanitarian service behind them. which the members of the On June 2 the Gordons rumbled in the distance. B.E.F. never forgot to do were moved into posicion at stuttered. A ground mist were moved into position at Machine - guns occasionally about twelve kilometres was lifting just before the from Abbeville, in front of first light of dawn started to penetrate the edge of the -

TO-MORROW:

Germans Routed At **Bayonet Point** 

## gave them what tasty mor-front on the river, from THEATRE HAILED

ing le Grand Bois and ad-Gielgud, the actor, described the to another wood decision to allow Sunday opening of theatres in Britain.

- scription of the Grand Bois ity to permit Sunday opening of is necessary. It is a wood of theatres and music halls in dis-

the men never groused at the gun post which the Germans German machine-gun have been no theatre performances on Sundays for 160 years, since the had cunningly concealed in posts had been dug on the Sunday Observance Act of 1781.

### On Equal Footing

selves. Storm-troopers with and other forms of entertainment at a time when it is in need of all the

tion had left behind them sent forward with three men stalled in almost every bush Mr Gielgud said that the new decision would enable managements to embark with assurance on new productions, giving employment to

> Mr Bronson Albery, who controls the New Theatre, Wyndham's and the Criterion, said he had no doubt that Sunday opening was now a foregone conclusion in the

Actors and actresses welcome the

new regulation; as it provides for a

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sioner of the Police Reserves, pre-

sided over a gathering of about 300

guests and recalled the Inspector's

brilliant career in the Police Guards

in which, by diligent and faithful

service, he had risen from the hum-

## THE FOLLOWING FULL REPORT OF HITLER'S SPEECH DELIVERED TO THE REICHSTAG WAS RECEIVED IN HONGKONG THIS MORNING: Callant LONDON, May 4 (Reuter).— "Thus the peace of the Balkans will they allow, their lead to be Gallant.

After stating the German was broken." version of the origin of the war, Why Reich Kept Contact version of the origin of the war,
Hitler said, that a few weeks
after its outbreak, the Polish
State, which had been reckless

ed I should make yet mother appeal Great War." to common sense and the conscience His warning, he said, was not human destiny, "Let us be particularof those statesmen. On October 6, taken seriously enough with the re- ly thankful that he has made it

appeal also met, with almost indign- to Mr Churchill's idea, was to be ant rejection. The British war- landed in Greece in the course of a mongers and their Jewish capitalistic few weeks. backers could find no other explanation of this appeal which I made on humanitarian grounds, than the The reverse suffered by the Italian assumption of weakness on the part Army in North Africa, owing to cer-- of Germany.

must such a peace be made until the Mr Churchill to believe that the time German Reich was broken up and was ripe to transfer the theatre of reduced to such distress that they that he could now proceed to carry would queue up beside the field out the coup which would imkitchens of their enemies begging for mediately set the Balkans affame.

Norway's Past "At that time, the Norwegian this war. Government was misled by the As soon as there could be no fur- asserted that it would be far more

people. There was no doubt that the disposal for the purpose.

most serious threat to Germany. Belgium and Holland. The aim was conclusion. to advance the front to the Rhine, Why Nazi Troops Were There thus threatening to paralyse German | iron and steel production centres. Greatest Battle

were broken up in a few days and the against Greece but as a precautionary stage was set for operations which measure against a British attempt to culminated in the greatest battle of strengthen themselves secretly in the annihilation in the history of the Balkans.

German Reichstag and again seized friendly relations with Yugo-Slavia night at the Special Guards Quarters, sides the huge total of aircraft the opportunity of urging the world in an endeavour to prevent her be- Wyndham Street. to make pence. I made it perfectly coming involved in a Balkan war. clear, however, in the light of past | He praised the practical attitude of experiences, that such hope could Turkey's leaders in preserving her only be small."

After attacking "Jewish democratic own resolution. capitalism," Hitler continued: "Euro- After repeating facts in relation to pean and American war-mongers the adherence of Yugo-Slavia to the aerial warfare.

Assurances Disregarded "My assurance that from the given! moment every one of Churchill's bombs would be returned if necessary a hundredfold failed to induce this Yugo-Slavia because it was imposman to consider even for an instant sible for anyone to treat the German the criminal nature of his actions." Reich this way." Hitler reiterated Germany's deter- Hitler described in detail the main

mination to retalinte for British raids plan of the campaign against Yugoon Germany if necessary with 100 Slavia and Greece in co-operation bombs for every British one dropped with the Italian Army after a genuntil the British nation gets rid of eral agreement had been secured Churchill.

both with Italy and Hungary. Referring to Mr Churchill's state- He said that Mr Churchill had alment to Parliament last Thursday, leged that the Greek campaign had Hitler declared that it could only be cost Germany 75,000 lives which were described as "symptomatic of a more than double the losses of the Mr Rehmat Khan, Chief Warder, paralytic disease or the ravings of whole western campaign. a drunkard."

Balkan Theatre

planning to transform the Balkans men, he declared, adding that the into a theatre of war as early as the booty cannot even be approximately winter of 1939-40. "The sudden estimated at present. collapse we witnessed in May and June last year caused these plans to temporarily abandoned. autumn last year, Churchill began to tackle this problem once again.

"Meantime, however, certain dif- many thousands of machine-guns, ficulties had arisen as a result of anti-nireraft weapons, trench mor-Rumania dropping out of England's tars, numerous vehicles and large political scheme."

said that the Reich never pushed my territorial or other 'selfish political interests in the Release On the

one thing, if indeed there was any this campaign were the "smallest we siderable forces there. question of political interest, namely, have ever suffered so for." in seeing that internally her business Italy had more than carned any partner was established on a sound territorial and political influence she and healthy basis. had obtained by the very great sacrifices in blood she had made since

Greece and Rumania Hitler referred to the British October last year for the future of guarantees to Rumania and Greece, the Axis. and said that Rumania had to pay! bitterly for the guarantee which was

Axis powers. this guarantee, was also prepared to have never done any harm and whose Canadian leaders. give way to British persuasion to link statement that the German people He will then proceed to Washing- dock are most valuable to-day when her destiny with that of a country intended to do so is nothing but an ton for three days during which time shipping goes round the Cape instead | Canada has now more than

and orders. "Even to-day, I feel that I must state which have become irksome to homeward. distinguish between the Greek people them, by the force of their capitalisand that thin top layer of corrupt the system and their material production Writer-Politician Dies

As a result of violations of neu- ments in all branches of national and a noted writer on historical, while Mort's Dock, Sydney, can turn time the first of them will be sent trality in the late summer of 1940, resistance. posals to the Greek Government and ly than ever the axiom Neither force demand guarantees that would tend of arms nor time will ever make us perfense of building ships in the nage in U.S.A., are an important axion partition of the last war, still possess expert should be described in the reservoir of new ton-fewership and became a medition of the last war, still possess expert should be described with the reservoir of new ton-fewership and became of building ships in the nage in U.S.A., are an important partition of the last war, still possess expert should be described will, therefore, maintain superiority and in the grant of the common of the last war, still possess expert should be described wealth to handle the engineering addition of the wealth to handle the engineering addition of marchantanes.

not passively allow a slow revival world." up to the Almighty who guides

1930, I, therefore, once more publicly suit that the British began to possible for us to achieve those great demanded not intended to intended anything either from Britain or by laying out aerodromes and as well. We will not only survive this war but a thousand years to ganisations and finally a continuous come."

Japanes our people in the lutture boats, captured enemy aircraft and British fighters played an outstanding part in getting Empire troops safely ganisations and finally a continuous come." "Just as the appeal on September stream of transports brought equip-1939, proved vain, this renewed ment for an army which, according

· Italian Reverses

tain material inferiority in their "They declared that on no account tanks and anti-tank guns, finally led

Thus did Churchili commit one of

stubborn insistence of Churchill's ther doubt regarding Britain's intent appropriate for President Roosevelt prophecies, and had already begun to tion to gain a foothold in the Balkans, or Mr Cordell Hull to come to Tokyo toy with the idea of a British landing Hitler said that he took steps to as- to learn about the conditions existing semble the necessary forces for the in the Orient. Reynaud's tendencies to gossip that possible tricks. This action was not Americans and I can grasp the real the German Government gained directed against Greece and Mus- situation now existing in the United knowledge of the plans being made solini did not even request him to States; but I doubt whether President

itrue situation in the Far East. was of the same opinion, that with problems could be more easily solved "Immediately after the failure of the advent of good weather, the by President Roosevelt or Mr Hull exerted by British war-mongers on brought to a speedy and successful the United States," he said.

The concentration of German forces, there, was not made for the "On May 1, 1940, the enemy efforts purpose of assisting the Italians

Hitler then elaborated upon the "On July 19, 1940, I convened the efforts he had made to establish

independence and carrying out her

succeeded once again in befogging Three Power Pact, Hitler said that blest position to that of inspector. the sound commonsense of the masses on March 25, 1941, he left Vienna Even my warning against the night truly happy because he believed that Lombing of civilian population was at the last moment German interinterpreted as a sign of German im- vention in the Balkans might become was pirated in 1922. During the warnings against this specific type of coup which caused Churchill to utter his joyous words that at last he had something good to report.

The number of Englishmen, New

Booty Taken

estimates, amounts to 500,000 rifles.

Hint To America

Zealanders and Australians

Order To Attack Serbs Inspector and now to Inspector. "I at once gave orders to attack

faithfulness, Prayers For Victory The Muslim priest, H. S. M. Noor Shah, conducted a prayer for the success of British arms in the present war.

Others present were Mr Feroz Ali, A.S.P. (R), Subedar Major Mohammed Shah, Subedar Mohammed Ali, Acting S.I. Lall Khan, Messrs, H. M. Shaft, K. B. Sheikh, Imam Channan Singh, Abdul Aziz, Jahan He then accused Mr Churchill of prisoner exceeds 0.000 officers, and Dad, M. Abdullah, Niamatullah and the Nazir Ahmed.

> Axis Eyes On Palestine The share of booty due to the German forces, according to present

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

ROME, May 4 (UP).-In an editorial in the "Voce d' Italia" to-day, quantities of ammunition and equip- Signor Gayda, commenting on the British situation in the Mediterraneas a "brief outline of Germany's 31 full and two half divisions were that the Axis may attack Palestine policy in the Balkans" in which he an following the Greek defeat, hints,

interests in the Balkans. On the contrary, the Reich had always end divisions of the army and armed conquest of lost territory the moment deavoured to build up and strengthen fighting. close economic ties with these states. The losses to the German army also alleged that the hostilities in Iraq The Reich was only interested in and air force as well as S.S. troops in are obliging England to send con-

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Mny 4 (UP).-Local Australian circles to-day said that Mr Referring presumably to the United | Menzies the Australian Premier has calculated to estrange her from the States, Hitler continued: "When to- gone to Ottawa from New York to equal to the best of the West. day the democratic agitators of a see Mr MacKenzle King, the Cana-Greece, who least of all required country, to which the German people dian Prime Minister, and other shipbuilding industry, Durban's well-

which provided her King with cash absurd lie, are threatening to choke he will visit President Roosevelt and of through Sucz. the National Socialist people and then proceed to the Pacific coast and

LONDON, May 4 (Reuter).—The great part played by the state, which had been reckless to be used enough to allow itself to be used for the financial interests of warmongers, was annihilated was however, in duty bound to warmongers, was annihilated was annihilat

Thousands of men and women, it says, were evacuated by "In these circumstances, I consider of the old Salonika scheme of the process of the Almighte who guides the R.A.F. while British fighters, heavily outnumbered, guarded the continuous stream of ships that went back and forth.

The order for withdrawal set the RA.F. the biggest task of the 1930, I, therefore, once more publicly establish bases for the formation of successes. We can only beg him not campaign, it says. Bombers, flying demanded nor intended to demand a new Salonika army. They began to forsake our people in the future boats, captured enemy aircraft and

All day and all night aircraft of every type—bombers, flying boats, training machines and civil aircraft packed to capacity with human cargo -flew to safety and returned for

The R.A.F. has countless stories of gallantry to tell of the evacuation. Ships Guarded

In addition to thousands of men and women brought away by nir, thousands more were guarded as they the German people so defeated and war from Libya to Greece, convinced U. S. Visit To Japan made the journey in big and little

Personnel of no longer existing carding suggestions that he should British air forces in Greece scored go to the United States. Mr Yosuke perhaps the greatest triumph of six though the R.A.F. suffered heavy Minister, in an interview at Kyoto, losses, the enemy suffered far greater. Air Bases Lost

through on the left flank, the Army with shipbuilding leaders and Navy commanders decided to withdraw to officials from May 7 to 16, at Tokyo, "It was thanks to Churchill's and purpose of counter-attacking any "I studied in America; I know a new line, the R.A.F. suffered the Nagoya, Osaka and Kukuoka, severest blow of the campaign. They were forced back to two or three bases only and the odd temporary against the Reich and the German place a single German division at his Roosevelt or Mr Hull can grasp the landing grounds they used at the start. All the new aerodromes which |

placements of aircraft. Nevertheless, cover confinement expenses. the available planes took off at all times and inflicted great damage on the enemy forces.

Six Months' Campaign Details of the campaign before Germany invaded Greece show that at the end of six months of arduous fighting against Italy, R.A.F. bombers Inspector Noor Mohammed was the had carried out more than 300 raids guest of honour at a dinner party and nearly 300 enemy aircraft were given by his fellow-countrymen last confirmed as destroyed in the air bedamaged in the air and on the Mr. Abbas Khan, Hon. Commis- ground.

> Deprived Of Nationality

Mr Abbas Khan recalled that Inspector Mohammed was a ship-SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" guard on the s.s. Sui An when she VICHY, May, 4 (UP).—By a decree potence. Again and again I uttered superfluous when "I heard of the piracy he showed great courage and deprived Eve Curle, Henry Bernstein in appreciation of his work he was and 27 others of their French citizen. New U.-S. Commander--raised-to-the-rank-of-Sergeant-Major, ship, and confiscated their presentes Later he was promoted to Sub- in the first application of the law empowering Marshal Petain to with-In conclusion, Mr Abbas Khan ask- draw the nationality of French citied all those present to follow Inspec- zens abroad who by acts, speeches tor Mohammed's example and serve or writings seek to impede Petain's Thirty-six United States Army their government with loyalty and national revolution or pursue a policy liable to harm French nationals.

> Veteran Airmen To Train Malayans

Malayan pilots, who gained their certificates in Malayan flying clubs and upon the outbreak of war joined pines-indicative of the stress the the Royal Air Force in Singapore, United States Army is placing on the are to be sent to a fighter squadron now stationed in Malaya, which is Philippines with new planes and equipped with speedy Brewster Buffalo fighters, to be trained as fighter pilots.

They will be taught by experienced an infarity lieutenant. fighter pilots-shy young Britishers Mr Henry R. Luce, author and who not so very long ago were editor of "Time" and "Life" also hurling their Spitfires and Hur- arrived on the Clipper with his wife ricanes at hordes of the German Clare Booth. They are en route to Luftwaffe raiding London.

Hold-Un

Labour Shortage

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" TOKYO, May 3 (Domei).-The lengthening of the present maximum working day to 12 hours in view of the shortage of labour and la order to effect a speeding-up of the national shipbuilding industry, was jointly the greatest strategie blunders of Matsuoka, the Japanese Foreign months of arduous campaigning, and proposed by the Commerce and Welfare Ministries at the Cabinet meetling on Friday,

It is expected that the plan will be When, owing to the enemy break- adopted after the Government confers

Boosting Birthrate

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" TOKYO, May 3 (Domei).—For the British design or Norway was the Mussolini was convinced, and he "I believe that Japanese-American had been built were lost or were too encouragement of bigger and better close to the enemy lines to be used, families, the Welfare Ministry's The enemy hammered at the few Social Insurance Bureau is planning these plans, increased pressure was struggle against Greece would be visiting Japan than by my going to remaining bases continuously so that the grant of 20 year as a bonus for it became impossible to obtain re-leach birth in addition to 30 yen to

> Health insurance benefits are vastly increased under the Ministry's plan which boosts, the number of those eligible from the present 650,-000 to 1,000,000 salary earners by including all earning below Yen 150 instead of the former Yen 100.

Another important feature is the wiping out of time limits for accident and sickness benefits. The new mensures consequently will allow payments to continue until full recovery has been made, regardless of the length of time required. The Bureau stated that the Bill will be sent tothe Diet following further improvements in its contents.

Air Display Manila

Welcomed

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" MANILA, May 4 (UP).pursuit planes flew over Manila and Cavite in formation to-day as a welcome to Brigadier-General Henry B. Clagett, former Commander of Selfridge Field, Michigan, who arrived on the American Clipper.

General Clagett will be the first Air Corps Generals Officer Commanding the Air Forces of the Philipbuilding up of its air strength in the personnel.

General Clagett was stationed in the Philippines from 1908 to 1910 as

Chungking.

Hongkong's Big Part In Supplying Empire Ships

Hongkong's two big shipbuilding yards are working hand in hand with other shipbuilders in the Empire to supply cargo vessels for the merchant fleet.

Both the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd and the Taikoo Dockyard are building handy cargo carriers up to 5,000 tons. The former last year built not only the hull of a fast modern cargo boat, but also her main propelling engines, the largest marine power unit which has come out of this part of the world.

India, ancient builder of ships, of shipbuilding is shown by the

is preparing to launch vessels orders to the value of £250,000 for

marine propelling engines and Although South Africa has no real in Queensland. auxiliary machinery recently placed equipped repairing yard and dry

doubled the 4,000 skilled workers In the last 18 months, Australia employed before the war in her 40 has greatly extended her shipbuild- shipbuilding and repairing establishing resources. A new shippard, em- ments. Contracts for 18 merchant ploying 2,000 men, is being estab- vessels, each of, 9,300 tons carrying lished at Whyalla, South Australia, capacity, have just been placed in who was subservient to Britain and wer. The German people will never LONDON, May 4 (Reuter) -Mr to build ships of up to 12,000 tons. Quebec, Montreal and Vancouver. had no ove for the duty of true again experience a year such as 1918 Ramsay Muir, one of the most pro- The famous Cockatoo, Island yard but will rise to still higher achieve- minent members of the Liberal Party can build four ships at one time.

municipal and etonomic subjects, out: two: large and several small down the ways. Italy felt called upon to make pro- They will profess more fanatical- died to-day aged 69. vessels visimultaneously, Both Port These ships from the Empire, to-

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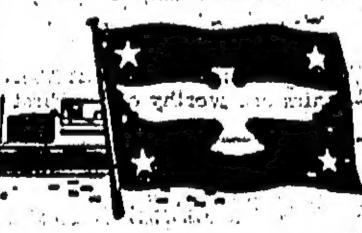
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## Badminton Season After-thoughts Of

## New Scoring System | Suggested For League

Summer Plans For Improvement

(By ("Tinker")

THE TUMULT and the shouting having died, badminton players reflect back pridefully on another successful season having concluded. There is no doubt about this. Attendance at the Championships, which in any sport is the criterion, shows a new record in numbers as was mentioned by the President of the Association, Mr S. A. Gray, at the recent prize distribution.

Greatest contributory factor to this, outside the attraction of the game itself, has been the efforts of the Hon. Secretary, Mr M. Talan. The organisation of the League and the Championships has worked without a hitch. The Press may have done its bit, but in dealing with an official of Mr Talan's character, it is always a pleasure to oblige.

Colony has been afforded matches of year St John's will be in that Divia standard never before seen here. The nucleus of stars from the Uni-P. K. Hooi H. F. Chew, has been made for scoring: . M. P. Yoong, K. B. Low and Miss Ullan Khoo-have mingled with local luminaries-P. H. Wong, C. Au, F. Koh, M. A. Oliveira, H. C. Eardley, Miss M. M. Silva, Miss M. A. Xavier, Miss M. Ribeiro, Mrs Torrible, Mrs Zimmern and Mrs O. Silva-to create a spectacular whole.

The University have taken every senior title, and not surprisingly they easily won the Senior Divisional championship. The greater interest perhaps, was wrapped up in the Second Division. Here St John's took the absolute championship when they beat Chung Hwa in the playoff-they being the winners of the "B" and "A" Sections, respectively.

### St John's Strength

DUT there's a story behind St D John's victory, and it is one which, I think, makes more acceptable a new system of scoring that has been suggested.

moted into the Senior Division for these players. For the summer the recently concluded season. But months, the suggestion is made tion they pointed out that of the to all Clubs to hold monthly bad- Volunteers Sergeants' Mess beat winning team of 1940 H. C. Eardley minton social evenings. most probably would not be available owing to his Naval duties, while

games they would be promoted to the the senior tournament. First Division.

able to turn out for them in most encouragement. of their matches, and they, consequently, were carried through on the Thus there is the position of two strong pairs being able to win a Divi-

New Scoring System

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sional Championship on their own.

As regards the Championships, the | sion, and there is no doubt that next sion. But to prevent a similar state versity of Hongkong-K. W. of affairs, the following suggestion

> That the result of a match be decided upon the total number of points obtained by each

The strength of any team then would be like that of a chain—that of its weakest link, and if the weakest are unable to collect, say, double figures in points each match, It is not likely that against a better balanced side the stronger players will be able to make up the difference. The more-balanced side, therefore, would have a more even chance of winning.

### Summer Suggestions

TUNIORS are the mainstay of any game, and in badminton it is hoped that further en-St John's were slated to be pro- couragement will be given to

Had it not been for the Junior Frank Kwok had gone over to Kow- Doubles championship this year, there loon Tong. They asked, therefore might have been an increase in the to be allowed to remain in the Junior Senior Doubles to ten pairs, but what Hongkong F.C. who lost on two rinks have happened to the remaining 14 It was decided - by vote at that pairs that did take part in the junior meeting to allow St John's to remain competition? They would have been in the Junior Division for five games without games, for I doubt if they and the match, and the Club without games, for I doubt if they de Recreio who only beat the Hongwones they would be promoted to the

They won four and lost one play- Admittedly, some of the junior ing against some of the weaker players were weak, but their very teams of the Section. The vote at appearance on the court is encouragethe subsequent meeting of the As- ment to others to enter. This year sociation was in favour of St John's the Colony has been very fortunate remaining in the Junior Division. in that there are so many new As it turned out, Eardley, without players here, but there are a far making any special efforts, was greater number of juniors who need

These social evenings, at which the efforts of their two top pairs only! courts would be thrown open to all K.F.C. (64)
Their third pair was very weak. badminton players, would do much C.C.C. (67)
Thus there is the position of two towards enticing more of these Recreio (64) younger players on to the court, and once the start is made, it will be all for the greater good of Badminton in Hongkong, for it would inevitably H.K.F.C. (62) lead to a greater number of entries THERE is no doubt that these two for the Junior competitions next pairs are worthy of the First Divi- year.

Officials and winners of the Hongkong Badminton Cham-

pionships. Standing: Messrs Jack Shepherd, W. C. Choy, A. L. Fisher, HongkongC.C. P. Wynter-Blyth, P. H. Wong, D. Kwok, D. Hazel, S. A. Gray

(President), M. Talan (Hon. Secretary). Seated: Miss U. Khoo, Mr H. F. Chew, Mr P. K. Hooi, Mrs. Mixed Doubles Zimmern, Mrs Torrible, Mrs Castro, Mr. K. W. Choy, Mr K. B. Low, Mr C. J. Tacchi.

## BOWLS LEAGUE OFFICIAL OPENING

## Recreio Beat Craigengower By Narrow Margin Of One Shot

THE LAWN BOWLS LEAGUE made its official opening and Miss J. Smalley (-3.6) (Stand Court). on Saturday with a full programme of matches, outstanding feature of which was the defeat of Craigengower, rivals of old, by the Club de Recreio by one shot. Coincidentally, the Valley Second team lost by the same margin to the Prison Officers, newly promoted from the Third Division.

Yesterday a most enjoyable match was played at the Kowloon Cricket Club when the the home side by eight shots.

The new system of scoring came into operation, but only in the Third Division were any teams able to to the Kowloon F.C., though the third rink was able to collect a winning to win the match: Scores in brief were

### FIRST DIVISION

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r,	C.S.C.C. (61)	315 Kowloon C.C. (\$3)	1
C × 11	Recreto (52) K.B.G.C. "B" (60) K. Docks (35)	1 Recreto "B" (69) 1 K.B.G.C. "A"	14
a	I.R.C. (68)	4 Police (56)	1
e	SECON	DIVISION	

H.K.F.C. (49) P.O.C. (68) 135 K. Tong (60) 4 H.K.C.C. (53) Recreto (64)

THIRD DIVISION

3 K.F.C. (64) 415 L.R.C. (63) 2 Recreio (60) H.K.C.C. (57) 1 K.B.G.C. (60). Only one seven was scored, and that by R. Dunean (K.B.G.C.) against Recreio "B" in the First Division.

## SPORTS ADVT.

#### HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The FIFTH EXTRA RACE MEET-ING will be held, weather permitting, on SATURDAY, 10th MAY, 1941, commencing at 2.00 p.m. The First Bell will be rung at

1.30 p.m. MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE No One without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure Such must be worn throughout the duration of each Meeting in such a manner as to be readily identified,

Budges admitting Non-Members to Ridden by the veteran jockey, Eddie the Members' Enclosure and Club Arcaro, who rode Lawrin to his Derby Itooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and far back until the final turn, when tax) are obtainable through the Dispose was leading until the three-SECRETARY upon the personal or quarter post, where he weakened. written application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and handily. for payment of all chits, etc.

The Secretary's Office, 1st Floor, Exchange Building, (Tel. 27794) will close at 11.45 a.m. Tiffins are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered in

advance from the No. 1 Boy (Tel. admitted to either Enclosure.

The price of Admission to the to 2. Public Enclosure is \$1.00 including Other odds earlier were: Whirlaway Tax, for all Person, including Ladies, 5/1; Dispose 8/1; Robert Morris 10/1; and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers Blue Pair 15/1; Little Beans 20/1; and Saliors in Uniform are admitted Marketwise 25/1.

C. B. BROWN,

## Volunteer Sgts Beat Kowloon C. C.

THE Volunteer Sgts-Rowloon C.C. match was five rinks a side. The home team scored on two, losing on the other three, and the final score turned out cight shots in the Sergeants' favour. Totals were Sgts 96, K.C.C. 88. Scores were:

R. S. Capell, E. C. Curtis, A. J. Kew and J. Fraser (K.C.C.) lost to C.Q.M.S. Casey, Sgt Muskett, Sgt Carr and Sgt Sherriff, 17-26,

-A-E.-Perry, R.-T.-Burch, F. Goodwinand E. C. Fincher beat Sgt Fowles, Sgt Geale, Sgt Zimmern and Sgt Meyer,

T. R. Hunter, C. W. Jeffries, N. A. E. Mackay and R. S. Meadows lost to C. S. M. Baskett, P/M Mackie, Sgt Steven and B. S. M. Walker, 16-21. G. Bowden, H. Langley, A. W. Smith and V. C. Labrum lost to S.Q.M.S. Tribble, C.Q.M.S. Leigh, Sgt Lockhart and Sgt Rakusen, 18-22.

A. E. P. Guest, A. H. Martin, W. W. Parsons and T. A. Madar beat Sgt Baptista, Sgt J. D. Remedios, Sgt J. C Remedios and C.Q.M.S. Silva 10-13.

## Favourites Fail In Kentucky Derby

## Whirlaway Sets Record

minutes one and two-fifths seconds, ners-up, E. C. Fincher and G. C. Burnett, which broke the previous best time established in 1931 by two-fifths of a second.

Starctor was second and Marketwise The track was hard and fast, Showers had been forecast.

### Fast Track

Advance from the No. 1 Boy (Tel. 1920).

No Children or amaks will be definited to either Enclosure.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

Porter's Cap, owned by Mr C. S. Howard and the West's hope for the first Californian Derby winner, and Our Boots, which was last year's juvenile champion, were the outstanding choices at odds respectively of 2 to 1 and 5

Porter's Cap, which finished fourth

# Final To-day

### Open Finals On Wednesday And Friday

The finals of the Colony Singles and Doubles Championship, the Club Championship and Club Handicap events will take place this week on the Hongkong Cricket Club courts, weather permitting. The programme is as follows:

To-Morrow

Club Handicap Singles, semi-final.—G. W. Sewell (-4.6) v. T. J. Gould (15.2) (Stand Court). Club Handicap Doubles, semi-final.— C. H. R. Oxlade and A. H. Barwell (-15.2) v. R. H. Blake and H. C. D. Knight (3.6)

#### Wednesday

Open Singles, final.—Tsul. Wai-pui v. Tsul Yan-pui (Stand Court).
Club Handleap Doubles, final.—Oxlade and Barwell or Blake and Knight v. T. C. Monaghan and T. J. Gould (-15.2) (8).

Thursday

Club Championship, final.—C. H. R. Oxiade v. M. Pagh (holder) (Stand Court).

Friday Open Doubles, final—S. A. and H. D. Rumjahn (holders) v. Tsul Wal-pul and Tsul Yan-pul (Stand Court).

### K.C.C. PRIZE DISTRIBUTION

### Impromptu Concert

DISTRIBUTION of prizes for the past season took place at the Kowloon Cricket Club on Saturday night. Mrs E. C. Fincher, wife of the Club Captain, presented the winners with their awards.

A good gathering of members indulged in an impromptu concert prior to the prize distribution, and a very enjoyable evening was spent. The following was the prize list:

### Lawn Bowls

Ciuis Championship.—Winner, J. Fraser;
Runner-up, A. W. Ramsey.
Handicap Singles.—Winner, R. T. Broadbridge; Runner-up, J. Fraser.
Handicap Pairs.—Winners, F. Goodwin and R. S. Mesdow; Runners up, G. E. Taylor and J. Hempsey.
Itoger Lindsell Cup.—Winner, E. Kern;
Rummer-up, F. Goodwin.
Tyro Competition:—Winner, R. T. Broadbridge; Runner-up, W. W. Parsons.
Jack Hirst Shields.—J. Hempsey, A. H. Martin, L. Jack and A. W. Ramsey (skip).

LOUISVILLE, Kentucky, May 3
(UP).—A crowd of 100,000, the largest ever to witness a horse race in North America, saw Mr Warren Wright's Whirlaway win the Kentucky Derby to-day by eight lengths in the record time of two minutes one and two-fifths seconds, mers-up, E. C. Fincher, D. J. N. Anderson and Frank Grose; Runnertup, E. C. Fincher, D. J. N. Anderson and Frank Grose; Runnertup, E. C. Fincher and G. C. Burnett, D. J. N. Anderson and Frank Grose; Runners-up, E. C. Fincher and G. C. Burnett, D. J. N. Anderson and Frank Grose; Runners-up, E. C. Fincher and G. C. Burnett, D. J. N. Anderson and G.

### Billiards and Snooker

Benior Championship, Winner, J. H. S. Duncan; Runner-up, E. G. Curtis.
Junior Championship, Winner, A. E. Carey; Runner-up, A. H. Martin.
Snooker, Winner, J. R. Luke; Runner-up, A. H. Martin.

Datting, 1st XI,—E. F. Fincher. Bowling.
-D. J. N. Anderson.

Batting, 2nd XI.—F. J. Lay. Bowling.— R. Baldwin.

## Gymkhana Postponed

Owing to the long spell of wet weather, the Polo Club Gymkhana

#### CONSTABLE KEPT FINES MONEY

P.C. Albert Childs (86), assistant warrant officer at Bromley (Kent) in the race, had won the \$50,000 Banta Anita Handicap and holds the fastest work-out time for the mile and quarter. Secretary. The winner of the race gets about recently for embezzling £41—fines which it was his duty to collect,

## Sappers Beat Canadians In First Baseball Game

## Forum Nose Out Canucks In Softball's Final "Hate"

THE ROYAL ENGINEERS opened their basebalk season with a great victory over the Canadians at Caroline Hill on Saturday, clouting in five runs in the 1st and 3rd frames and holding the Canucks to three singles tallies in the 1st, 2nd and 6th.

Yesterday, Softball's final game—the annual classic between the Hongkong · English Forum and the Canadian Chinese -resulted in a 3-2 win for the latter, the issue being decided in the last inning only.

Softball's Canadians belted in one in the 3rd and another in the 5th. The Forumers were held blank over these frames, and only in the sixth and final innings did they get moving. Two runs in the sixth and then the winner in the seventh-all on passed balls-brought them a win that puts them, 3-2 ahead in this annual fight.

Scores in brief were.

DASEDALL Canadians: Runs ...... 3 0 2 0 0 0 x=5 SOFTBALL Canucks:

## Runs ..... 0 0 1 0 1 0 0=2 Hits ..... 0 0 1 0 3 0 0=4 Runs ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1=3 JACK DOYLE:

## LIKE A RACEHORSE" **Bankruptcy Examination**

"I WAS SOLD

JACK DOYLE, the boxer and singer, attending London Bankruptcy Court for his public examination, stated that his contract was so worded that if he opened a taxi door and received a 6d tip, 25 per cent. of it would have to be paid over.

Questioned about part of his manager's percentage of purses for fights being sold, Mr Doyle said: "I was sold like a racehorse. I was just a child then and did not know much

His liabilities amounted to £1,-689 and he had no assets. Mr Doyle stated that he had his mother dependent on him. "I gave her at least £8 a week," he explain-ed. "I have supported her all my life."

Mr. A. L. West, Senior Official Receiver: However nice it is to live in this way, do you realise it is wrong and unjustifiable?-My expenses are heavy everywhere I go. I spend a lot each week.

Mr Doyle-said-he-would-pay-over to his trustee what money he could for creditors. The examination was closed.

## Girls Match

AT STUBBS ROAD, on Saturday, Canton's Truelight College girls swamped Chung Hwa 11-2, proving that the schoolgirls are all set for the League next year, Yvonne Poon clouted in a home

for Chung Hwa, and in reply Margie Woo and Lai Bik-wong connected for non-stop circuit trips. In the final innings of the game, the College girls scored five to climax the run-around.

## Poor Cash Sweep Prizes At Macao

MACAO, May 4,—Results of the eash sweeps in to-day's racing

First Bace Unplaced ponies (\$25.20 each): Nos. 147

Unplaced pony (\$20.90); No., 596.

Unplaced pony (\$46.30): No. 314.

Unplaced pony (\$46.90): No. 358.

Unplaced ponies (\$100.15 each); Nos. 04142, 01502, 23690, 06469, 10344, 08201, 09011, 22436, 15260, 20472, 21106.—Our Own Cor-

## Home Cricket Makes a Start

Instead of the usual heralding with trumpets, the Cricket season made a modest beginning to-day, with several minor matches.

The London Fire Service, taking a well-carned relaxation, again stole the limelight by opening the season at Lord's against Reading University, who won by seven wickets.-Reuter.

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Hongkong, 6th May, 1941.

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When a barrage balloon began to

ascend at a Western town, Gunner Griffiths thought it had broken from

Hoping to retard its rising-actu-

ally it was going aloft normally—he

This he twisted round his waist

and legs. He gripped another rope

Crew Horrified

The horrified crew saw him as-

cend to 2,000 feet before they could

Then, as people gasped, they

Gunner Griffiths was quite safe,

DEFICIENT DIET

WILL KILL MORE

THAN FIGHTING

PITTSBURGH, May 2 (UP).

—The present-European food

blockade may claim a far greater

toll of life than actual fighting,

according to Dr Charles C. Hig-

Diet deficiencies, caused by lack

of vitally essential foodstuffs, will be

European people in the present war,

according to Dr Higgins, "showed an

increase in kidney stones due to diet

children born during the war were

on an average shorter than children

who lived under circumstances where

Dane Hit A Nazi,

all dietary items were plentiful.

according to the nutrition expert.

gins, of Cleveland, Ohio.

one of the greatest adventures

of 2,000 feet above the earth.

of the war recently.

gripped a guide-rope.

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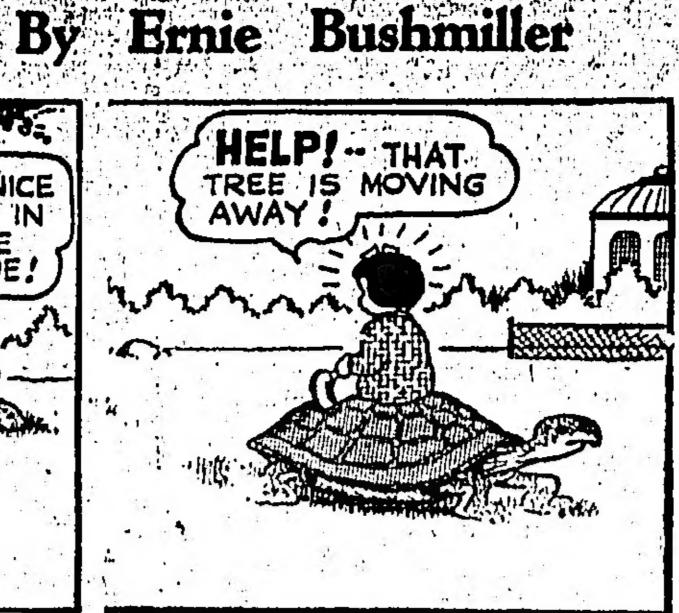
## NANCY







HONGKONG TELEGRAPH



## TO WE TAKE Nazi Fraus And French Charmers

According to the Berlin correspondent of the "Chicago Daily News," the latest problem which faces the Nazi leaders is to convince the women of Germany that their husbands are not succumbing to the blandishments of the ladies of France.

An article in the current issue of the "Schwarzekorps" scolds irresponsible gossipers, and offers "relief and comfort to hearts which are unnecessarily tortured."

It says: "No, dear German women, there is nothing in the story of the warrior from the north who succumbs to the charms of the deceiving siren and, like Tannhauser in the Venusberg mountain, forgets his own home in the process."

German wives, the article adds, "know, of course, that their men would not behave improperly, but the worm gnaws at their hearts, and next time their men come home and do not sleep because the coffee they bring with them is too strong, then is the charming French women who have appeared to them in their

## No More Ice Cream In Italy

Ice-cream and pastry are to be barred in Italy, and the ration of oil, butter and pork is to be cut to 12 ounces per person monthly. half the previous allowance.

Rome Radio's comment was meant as a comfort to the Italians for their loss.

"Letters of complaint have reached me about the misuse of foodstuffs, especially of butter and fats" said the commentator. "Cannot we do without pastry? the letters ask. Certain pastry shops are the centres of attraction for the snobs of the feudal aristocracy and feudal interlectuals, and places where defeatist stories are spread. So say the letters. of General de Gaulle.

### Palates Hit

"I feel like answering: Just you wait a little my good people, and you will see that the Government will meet your demands. The logical consequences of the restrictive use of fats has come, and pastries and ice-

"Conversations between people who munifest pessimism in all but in their appetites will be reduced. It has become impossible now for certain degenerates to satisfy their caprices."

## Juan Ready For Throne Of Spain

Prince Juan, heir-designate the non-existent Spanish Throne, has declared formally his readiness to return to Spain as King when the day of restoration comes, reports Associated Press from Rome, quoting Spanish royalist sources.

When the royalists met recently the Prince pledged himself to uphold the principles of his father, the late Alfonso XIII.

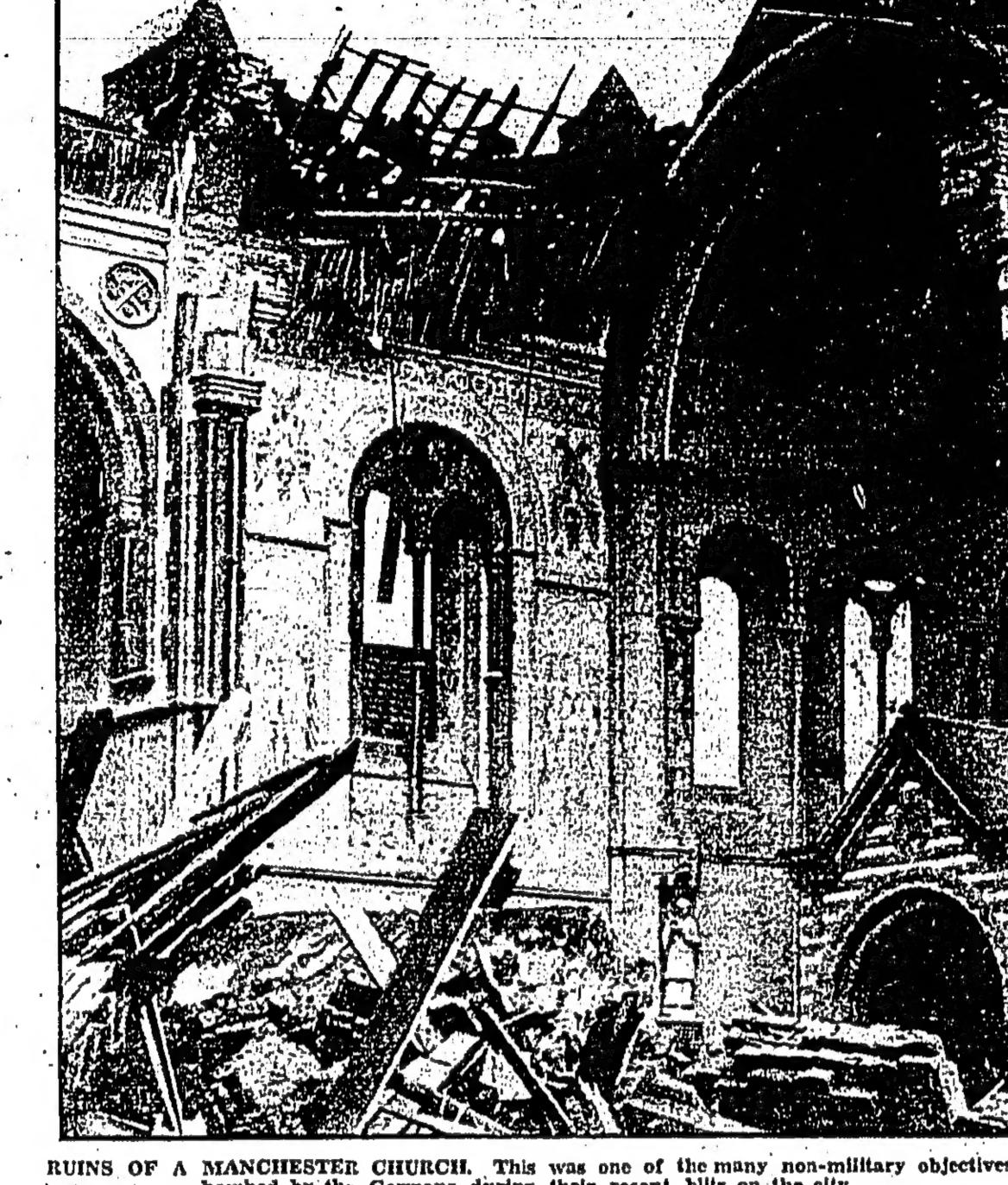
The Prince was reported to have tion "may not be far off."

## Sure Ways To Get Rid Of A Wife

(UP) Dr A. L. Porterfield, who conducts a class on marriage and family life at Texas Christian University, lists the following "sure" ways to get rid of a wife:

1. Learn to flick elgarette ashes on the floor with maximum damage to the rug. rusty razor blades scattered on the various window levels or swing to figures were given by the Ministry of bold as an egg.

least three times a week.



RUINS OF A MANCHESTER CHURCH. This was one of the many non-military objectives bombed by the Germans during their recent blitz on the city.

## Italians Anti-Mussolini Party

A GROUP of Italians in the United States is now making what appears to be a serious effort to form a Free Italy body on the lines of the Free French organisation

This movement would have two objectives: 1. Establishment in the U.S. of an anti-Fascist Italian Government which would be headed by Count Carlo Sforza, formerly Foreign Minister in Italy, and who was Italian Ambassador to France when Mussolini came to power. Count Sforza is now lecturer at Virginia University.

## cream are forbidden. The palates of some people will be hit and also their special brand of irresponsibility. Secret War Training Libya to organise a revolution-ary army among captured troops For New York Police Italy. This force, it is proposed, would train in Canada.

By PIERRE VILLERE

United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, May 2 (UP) -A special emergency squad of 300 picked members of the New York police has been secretly trained in all phases of civilian protection against modern warfare, but what their new duties will be is a deep, dark secret.

War experts have agreed that establishing police lines. They learneven if this country enters the war, there is little likelihood on the handling and removal of the Republican forces in Space, to lead the projected officers' corps.

In addition, special stress was laid on the handling and removal of bombs of all types. Every man on School for Social Research in New bombed. For that reason, the the squad is proficient in two-way York, one of the leading anti-Fascist men themselves are speculating radio operation and field broadcaston whether they might not be ing. sent away from the city.

One belief was that the emermen for the British Army.

Six Weeks' Training The men were trained for six standing, and enforcing black-outs. such a movement. weeks, and after their course was completed, they were returned quiettold the royalists the day of restorn- ly to their normal posts. Every precaution was taken to prevent details of their training from becoming

Only men especially skilled in various trades and crafts were chosen. They were given a rigid physical examination, and sent for routine training to the School for the

Soldler bn Randali's Island. They were taught the methods found most successful in London of coping with emergencies due to building collapses, such as might be

caused by bombings. They learned the use of the 000 tons-was salvaged to make ten swinging belt—a belt attached to a cargo ships, 1,000, Army tanks and bathroom floor.

J. Go home late for dinner at first aid. They became expert in the Ministry thinks still more could fruit barber had my hair off beliese three times a week.

They became expert in the Ministry thinks still more could form I could raise a finger, he said.

## Defence Speed-up

gency squad might train others familiar with all phases of this work to enable them to serve as instruction was, but in another quarter take up the places of civilian determined to the serve as instruction was, but in another quarter tors it necessary, teaching others it was said the British nuthorities the art of loading and unloading have indicated tentativate that the These men were made sufficiently

> The formation of the special emergency squad brought the police department into the city's master defence programme along with the health and fire departments. All other city departments and agencies are organising under a speed-up order which calls for them to be ready to take their places in the city's defence plan, if needed.

#### TANKS AND SHELLS FROM SALVAGE

Britain, sufficient scrap motal-250,-

2. The creation of an officers' corps which would be sent to in preparation for invasion of

### Fought in Spain

Some of the group, which is at present attempting to start a Free Italy, movement, hope it may be possible to get Randolpho Picciardi, who commanded the Garibaldi Brigade, which fought on the side

Italian-Americans in this city, was anxious to stress the fact that the movement is so far in a preliminary

emergency trucks, dynamiting build- may be willing to give encourageings that would be hazardous if left ment and perhaps definite backing to

### Eccentric Barber's New Coiffure

ERIE, Pennsylvania, May 2 (UP). -The question of what constitutes to haircut was taken under legal advisement here recently.

A certain eccentric barber, addicted to drinking while at work, ran his dippers across the top of a wo-Last year, over the whole of man customer's head from original coiffure of his own creation.

> The customer complained to police who sent a detective to investigate.

#### 1-Qui S-Everyone 5-Dandies 13-Way out

16-District

Heres Hilk food

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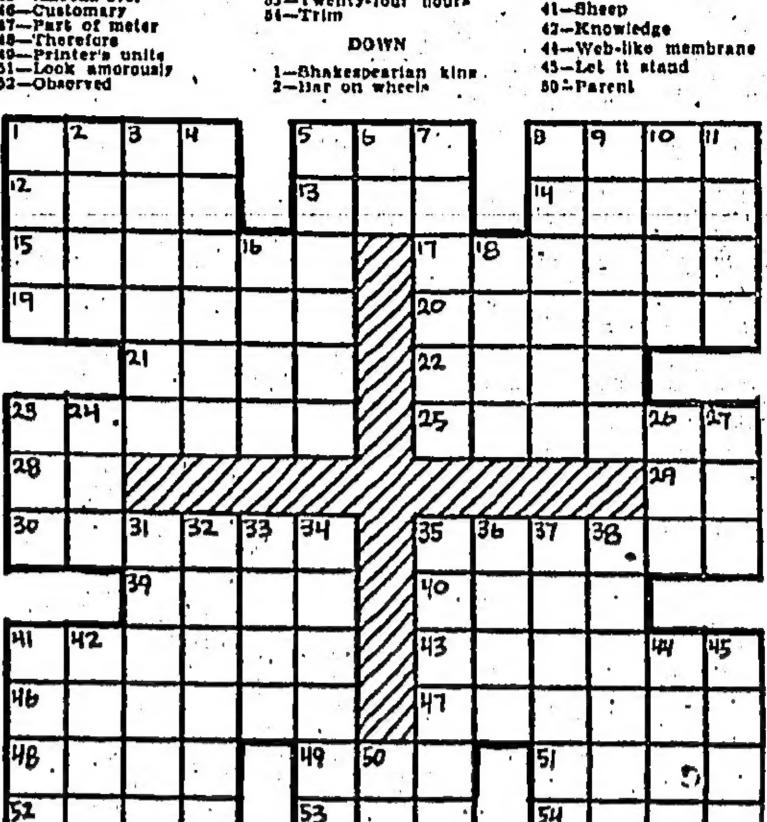
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32-Late English 33-Otherwise 34-Required 35-Loutlab J0→Aspire 38-Come out 42-Knowledge

37-City in Pennsylvania 45—Let it stand 50 - Parent



## EMPEROR'S GIRL SOLDIER

Marches To Fight Italians.

With the Emperor Haile Selassie's expeditionary force which has marched into Abyssinia is one woman. She is Miss Banichyzgu Kidani, a 23-year-old nurse, who was once condemned to death by the Italians. responsible for havoe among the

She disguised herself as a boy to join the expedition.

Research after the Great War, "I appealed to the Emperor to allow me to accompany his It also showed that German troops as a hospital nurse," she said, "but he refused on the ground that the journey would be too severe for a woman.

> "So I cut off my hair, disguised myself as a soldier, and marched,

prisonment for attacking German Miss Kidani's father, a colonel in One Dane was sentenced to four years for felling a-German with an Addis Ababa 10 months ago.

Put Amongst Lepers

Captured in the Abyssinian war, Miss Kidani was imprisoned in Addis Ababa by the Italians, who ordered her execution. With the aid of an American missionary, she got some medicine which made her so violently ill that the Italian authorities, believing her to be suffering from an infectious and fatal disease, put her in the Abyssinian leper colony.

A Swedish doctor, helped her to A Copenhagen Court has sentenced late to send me back, allowed me to she reached a Sudanese outpost. In prisonment for extraction of im-

Returning to the Sudan, she the Emperor's army, was hanged by worked as a nurse until the Emthe Italians in the market-place at peror's arrival at Khartoum from

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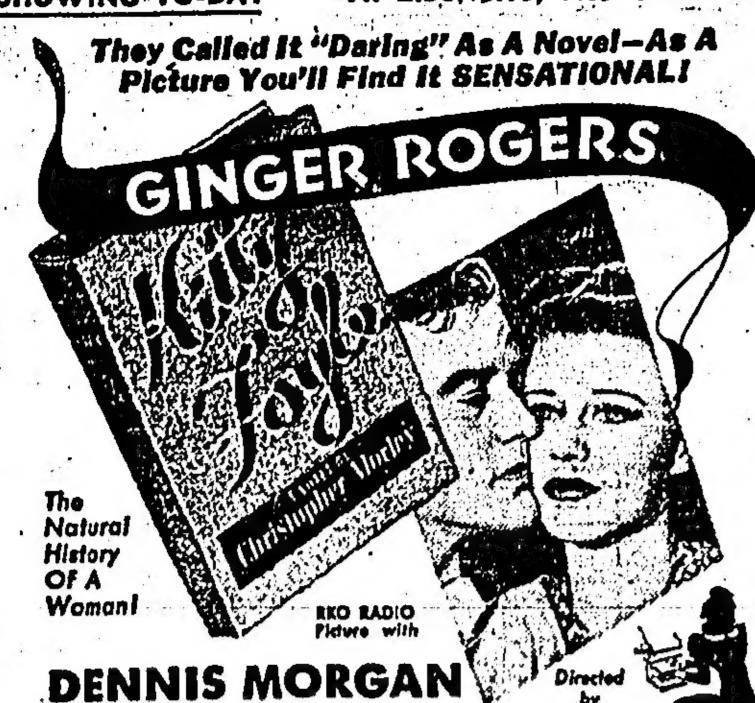
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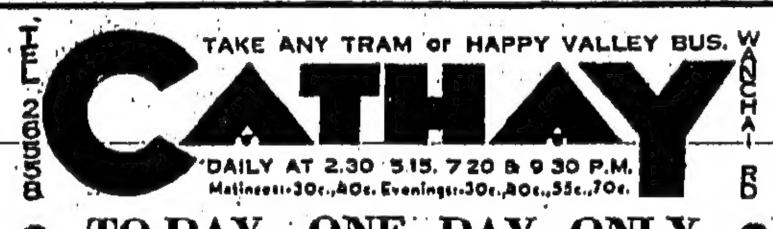
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at Habbanlyah, It was revealed hero to-day. That "sanctuary" was promptly

violated by the Iraq forces surrounding the station. ... Imperial troops now in Iraq, despite overt provocation by Iraqi troops, are occupying only certain points. Rex left Shanghai as an unwilling essential to the fulfilment of the stowaway and returned as a first-Anglo-Iraq Treaty terms, it is stated

Oil Concession Ban VICHY, May 4 (Reuter)-Roshid All has ordered work on the Iraq been a general favourite with the Petroleum Company's concession to be officers and passengers. suspended, according to a Bagha

disputch received here. It is reported that certain refineries are to continue work for the benefit of Rushid All's troops,

Meeting In Trans-Jordan CAIRO, May 4 (Reuter).—It understood that the developments Iraq were given consideration at luncheon given yesterday by Emir Abdullah of Trans-Jordan in honour of H.R.H. Emir Abdul Illah, ex-Regent of Iraq, his nephew, says despatch from Amman.

Several former Iraq Ministers and lenders as well as Arab leaders from Palestine and Trans-Jordan also attended the luncheon,

Turkey's Position ANKARA, May 4 (Reuter),—Sir Knatchbull - Hugessen, the British Ambassador, saw M. Sarajoglu, the Turkish Foreign Minister,

usual practice, the Ambassador informed M. Sarajoglu of all the latest developments in the Iraql situation. The Turks appear to have the fullest understanding and sympathy with Britain's attitude and deplore Rashid, Ali's action which was inspired by the Axis. His appeal for German help has actively lowered his stock here because if the Axis could give him effective help, which is regarded as most unlikely, the result will be further encirclement of Turkey by the Axis.

In unofficial Turkish circles, regret is expressed that Britain has allowed matters to go so far and did not act earlier in the face of strong German agitation in Arab states and in Iran. The leading light in the German trouble-making machine in the Near East is believed to be Herr Franz von Papen himself, who is returning here shortly. With his return, the Reich may be expected to redouble

its efforts to embarrass the British. The statement alleged to have been made by the Baghdad radio that the Arabs are fighting in Palestine may perhaps indicate coming German attempts to cause trouble there. Latest Rome Report

ROME, May 4 (UP).—A dispatch to the "Messaggeros" from Damascus says that the Ibn Saud has concentrated troops on the Iraq and Trans-Jordania frontiers.

### LIVERPOOL HAS BAD BLITZ

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British plane being lost although at his personal guarantee that the collie least 16 German raiders are known would not be shipped from Hongkong to have been destroyed.

R.A.F. stretched from Boulogne to the heart of industrial Germany and Hongkong S.P.C.A.'s Dogs Home, to Brest where repeated day and where he was given attention as he night attacks are credited with keeping the German battle cruisers Scharnhorst and Gneisenau immobientering the Atlantic to menace the authorities, who have issued vital United States supplies. order that all vessels are to

German planes were victims of the before a ship leaves port, and improved British night defences.

bombers visited west Germany last Shanghai practically ceased in Febnight and dropped high explosive runry 1941, as far as river and sea and incendiary bombs. Several pri- traffic is concerned. the bombing.

Raided Again LIVERPOOL, May 4 (UP).—Liverpool and Merseyside were raided again for the fourth successive night. Raiders were also reported over districts on the northwest coast.

### Appeal By Deposed Regent

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land may have erred in the past, but under Hitler there can be no future for the Arab world. It was England to drop considerably, if the Soviet which liberated the Arabs of Iraq shipping project is realised. for the Arab world. It was England and aided them to become a proud independent people. We therefore be- SHANGHAI, May 5 (Reuter).—In lieve that it would be in the best in- view of the neute dearth of bottoms, terests of Iraq and all other Arab the reported Soviet plans to place states to maintain traditionally friend- nine Soviet vessels in service bely relations with Britain and attempt tween Shanghal and southern waters to adjust all differences by means of have aroused considerable interest direct negotiations with the British here. representatives and the Arab world."

## Hitler Changing His Mind About War

FROM PAGE ONE

his views on the importance of ness. American aid to Britain. They indi- 1 If the Soviet plan is true, it is cated that tanks and planes are believed that it would provide a rolling off the assembly lines in in- great reduction, of price of such creasing numbers and said that commodities as rice and coal and bombers are being flown directly to might have a salutary effect on Britain from Canada while tanks are living costs and freight rates which being shipped to the trouble zones in here at present prohibitive. Africa and elsowhere.

Military sources said they "questioned the accuracy of Hitler's report regarding the Germans lost in the A fire broke out in Tsun Wan Balkan war. This is for below the Village, New Territories South, estimates reaching the United States | yesterday at 10.15 a.m. according to through military channels." ... Police report. Several huts were

\*Full report of speech on Page | burnt but the fire was eventually put out by the villagers.

## Half Of Iragi Air Full Story Of How Rex Was Stolen & Recovered

Recently the "Telegraph" published an account of how Rex. a Scotch collie, was stolen in Shanghai, brought to Hongkong. rescued here by the S.P.C.A., and returned to its owner. A fuller account of how the dog was stolen and found again

is given by the "North China Daily News", and is reprinted here. Rex left Shanghal as an unwilling class dog passenger. The Chief Offi-GOVT HOUSE

cer said that when the ship tied up it was about the first time Rex had been in his kennel and that he had

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

Organized Dog Stealers Rex was undoubtedly a victim of the organized gang of dog thieves that sale. The usual procedure was fol-

fence during the night and when one demonstrate with street processions of the servants allowed Rex to take and other coercive actions, their four his morning run in the garden, the leaders would be arrested and de-thieves, by one of their various ported, was issued by Mr W. P. methods, evidently persuaded him to Thompson, Assistant Director of attempt to leave the garden through Criminal Investigation (Special the breach in the fence. A noose, Branch). similar to that used by the Municipal The demonstrators, mostly women dog catchers was most likely slipped and children, marched from Caine

tried to resist. As soon as it was discovered that Soil Carriers." cription of him was posted outside them. every police station. The S.S.P.C.A. was also notified and was asked to

ceived by the S.S.P.C.A. that stolen tion to be taken. dogs were being smuggled on board Secretary of the Hongkong S.P.C.A. would be arrested and deported, and asked his assistance in finding them. Almost immediately a cable- steps to coerce the Government," gram was received from the Hong- declared the police official. kong Society announcing that Rex procedure is all wrong and it will had been found and inquiring if any not help your case in any way." Hongkong resident could identify

over the radio without effect.

person whose home was in that port away. porarily living in Shanghai. The Hongkong Government officials, not the claimant had not received a full in Hongkong as Rex had been found pointing out that they were not reby the Hongkong S.P.C.A. in a bird- fugees. shop, where he was said to have been for two months before that Society' had been asked to find him. Incidentally, Rex was found six months to the day from the date he was

Mr F. H. Loseby, Vice - President the "remarkable" contrast of a single of the Hongkong Society, kindly gave until he was satisfied that the dog The widespread attacks of the was the one claimed and obtained permission to place Rex in could scarcely walk after his long

confinement. Thanks to the co-operation given lised and preventing them from re- to the S.P.C.A. by the Customs The record breaking total of 16 scarched for dogs smuggled on board Sidney, to whom he owed his career, serman planes were victims of the before a ship leaves, port, and to jumped into fame as a conductor. BERLIN, May 4 (UP).—British line export of stolen dogs from

vate houses were hit but the fires The S.S.P.C.A. greatly appreciates were quickly extinguished. Several the close co-operation extended to it civilians were killed and wounded. by its sister Society in Hongkong and German anti-aircraft fire hindered is grateful to Mrs F. H. Loseby for her care of Rex during the time he was in the Hongkong Society's Dogs

### Soviet Ships For China Seas

CHUNGKING, May 5 (Central because of the great hairpin shortage. News).—Nine Soviet steamers will They predict a return to the shingle soon ship articles of daily necessity or page boy bob. from Vladivostok to Shanghai, and a Soviet shipping company will also be organised to undertake shipping in the China Sea, including the trans-portation of rice and coal to Shanghai, says a Shangha! report.

Price of rice, coal and other commodities in the port city are expected Shanghai Pleased

SHANGHAI, May 5 (Reuter).-In!

The vessels are said to be arriving at Shanghai shortly from Vladivostok, bringing large cargoes of dally necessities, and will then be put in service for the transportation of general freight between Shanghai and such points as Manila and Salgon and possibly farther south, It is also reported that the Soviet nuthorities are planning to open an office here to handle shipping busi-

## NEAR RIOT AT

---> FROM PAGE ONE

tempt to stay there until they until recently has been stealing dogs and shipping them to Hongkong for Warning Issued A warning that if the disgruntled lowed. A hole had been cut in the night soil coolies continued to

round his, neck and the dog was Road to Government House; headed dragged out. Marks of his claws in by a banner which bore the inscripthe soft earth showed that he had tun "His Excellency the Governor, Mercy. Restore our Living. Night

Rex was missing, the Police were They squatted down in Upper notified and the report of his loss was Albert Road, Garden Road and near to-day when doubtless following the put over the teletype. A block was the Botanical Gardens, while their made from a photograph of the dog four leaders attempted to present a and a printed notice offering a re- petition to the Governor. However, reward of \$150 and giving a des- His Excellency refused to interview

#### Leaders Warned

An emergency police squad was use their efforts to find Rex. Cir- despatched to Government House to culars in Chinese were issued and maintain order, and later Mr Thompthe reward was gradually increased son arrived and spoke to the four from \$150 to \$500. The loss of the ringleaders through an interpreter. was advertised in English, He told them that if they had a Chinese and Russian newspapers and grievance they must send a small deputation to the Hon. Sir Robert Description Sent to Colony
When reliable information was re- and advise them on the proper ac-

Mr Thompson warned them that coasting vessels bound for Hongkong, any measures to coerce the Governthe Society sent descriptions and ment would be of no use at all, and photographs of three stolen dogs that he added that if there were any more could be readily identified to the such demonstrations the ringleaders

"We are not going to tolerate any

Following this conference the leaders appealed to the demonstrators The cabled reply was that the only to disperse, while the banners which

#### Refuse To Disperse

Many of the women went away, knowing the name of the owner, but a certain number remained, rerightly wished to make certain that fusing to obey the ringleaders, They started wailing and protesting that description of the dog from someone they were hungry, at the same time

They insisted upon their leaders being allowed to present the Governor with their petition, despite the appeals of the police for them to disperse quietly.

## How Teddy Joyce Found Fame

Teddy Joyce, the dance band

leader, who collapsed in Glasgow recently after performing with his band, died later. It was stated that he was suffering

from spinal fever,

He was a Canadian, and his real name-was-Edmund-John-Cuthbertson. He was originally an eccentric dancer, but in the hands of Louis K. For four years as a young man he carned £275 a week personal salary. After working in Hollywood he went to England and formed his own

## War May Recall Boyish Bob

orchestra.

Thousands of women in Britain who depend on the skill of chemists to keep their golden tresses golden are being "blacked out" by the Government's restrictive orders against 'luxury, articles.

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## Night Fighters

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The highest number of raiders rage and two by anti-aircraft fire. previously brought down in one night The remainder were shot down by was 13 and of these one was brought British fighters, one over Northern: down by anti-aircraft fire and another France. by unspecified means." Last night's achievement brings

first three nights in May to 21. . In addition, one was brought down land but no bombing is reported. by: British fighters over France on Friday night. Of 163 brought down in raids on

Since the war began, the Luftwaffe eight days. in day and night rolds on Britain has now lost 3,327 planes.

Effective Night Fighters LONDON, May 4 (Reuter) -- Conarming that 16 enemy aircraft were parts of Britain.

Enemy aircraft crossed the souththe total down over Britain in the east and southwest coasts in daylight: ito-day, penetraling a few miles in-Night Alert

LONDON, May 4 (Reuter).-Lon-Britain in April, 84 fell to British don had a night alert for the second

> No gunfire was heard for some ime after the alarm. Raiders were reported over several

night in succession after a full of

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